

## U.S. Orders Hungarian Consulates Be Closed

Offices In N.Y. And Ohio Affected

Washington, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The United States today ordered the closure of Hungarian consulates in New York and Cleveland to be closed because of Communist Hungary's treatment of two jailed Americans.

A sharp note charging gross violation of the 1926 Hungarian-American commercial and consular treaty gave the two establishments until midnight January 15 to shut down.

The brusque action forecast a tougher attitude toward other Soviet bloc states where Americans have been jailed as "spies" or have dropped from sight. Poland and Czechoslovakia already have been warned that positive measures are under consideration to reinforce repeated official protests.

### No Break In Formal Relations

No break in formal relations with Hungary was involved in the closing order. Its effect will be to channel into the Hungarian legation in Washington the trade problems and other matters the New York and Cleveland consulates have been handling. The United States has only a single establishment at Budapest to handle all diplomatic and consular affairs.

Identical notes delivered to the foreign office there and to Minister Imre Horvath here recited that Hungary for the last 40 days has kept Robert Vogeler, American communications company official, in jail and has repeatedly rebuffed American demands that a U. S. consul be allowed to talk with him. It noted that another American, Israel Jacobson, was held incommunicado for nearly two weeks in December by the Hungarian police and then was expelled without explanation.

### Permits Arrests of Citizens

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## Maragon Indicted On Four Charges Of Lying To Jury

Washington, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Jaunty John Maragon, who used to associate with people in the White House, was indicted today on four charges of lying about his financial and business affairs.

A federal grand jury accused him of committing perjury at a senate investigation last summer.

Should a trial jury convict the glib little Greek-American on all four counts, he could be jailed for as long as 40 years. The punishment for perjury is two to 10 years on each count.

For one thing, Maragon denied to senators that he ever made any money by representing private companies in business deals with the government. The indictment flatly labeled the denial "false."

The senators were investigating five-percenters, men who try to line up government contracts for business men for a fee of perhaps five per cent.

They heard testimony that Maragon, an immigrant from Greece at 15, a former shoe shine boy, Bell-hop and waterboy, went around town bragging of a close friendship with President Truman's military aide, Maj. Gen. Harry Vaughan. They heard that he tried to throw his influence around at government departments.

Vaughan himself testified that Maragon had been his friend and came and went at the White House. But he also said Maragon never had acted for him in any business with the government and that Maragon ought to be "fumigated."

### DUMB OWLS

Owls, contrary to legend, are among the dumbest of all birds. However, the same may be said of anyone who destroys owls, since these predatory birds feed almost exclusively on small rodent pests.

## Burdick Asks Probe Of Salary Kickbacks

Washington, Jan. 3.—(AP)—An investigation to find out the extent of salary kickbacks and payroll padding in Congress was proposed today by Rep. Burdick (R-ND).

Burdick introduced a resolution to create a Senate-House committee to do the investigating.

J. Parnell Thomas, formerly a Republican House member from New Jersey, is in jail now for operating a kickback racket that cheated the government out of thousands of dollars.

Burdick's resolution said that: "The illegal acts of a few members of congress as to the abuse of payroll privileges have caused the people, in many places, to believe that there is dishonesty generally among members of congress."

"And, such beliefs on the part of the people have caused not only disrespect for that body, but have weakened the people's faith in their government."

He suggested that a special committee of four representatives and three senators determine what people are doing on congressional payrolls, what they do and where, and whether any of them pay any part of their salaries back to members of congress.

The committee would have authority to bring out its evidence in public hearings.

After Thomas was sentenced last month to six to 18 months in jail and ordered to pay a \$10,000 fine, Burdick announced he intended to ask for an inquiry into payroll padding.

He said he had found members of congress are honest generally and he wasn't charging any widespread padding. But he said "some people have an idea that we are dishonest and the facts should be brought out."

At present, payrolls of all House members are open to inspection but those of senators are not. But a change has been promised in the Senate.

## Admiral In Row Asks Retirement

SUES ASSOCIATE FOR \$100,000 ALLEGING DEFAMATION

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## Illinois News Briefs

Chicago, Jan. 3.—(AP)—George C. Kite, professor of education at the University of California, Berkeley, is the new president of Phi Delta Kappa, professional fraternity for men in education.

He succeeds Earle O. Liggitt, superintendent of schools at Munnah, Pa. The election was held at the closing session of the group's 22nd annual convention in Chicago Saturday.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—(AP)—A negro workman engaged in razing the old Ashland building in downtown Chicago was injured today in the collapse of a third floor stairway.

He is Claude Herring, 51. The Ashland building at 155 North Clark street was a Chicago landmark.

Sterling, Ill., Jan. 3.—(AP)—The Sterling city council last night gave the Twin City Transit Line 60 days in which to comply with its franchise ordinance.

The company, which operates bus service between Sterling and Rock Falls, was accused by Mayor W. B. Wetzel of operating on routes not designated by the ordinance.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Joseph P. Bruno of Rockford today was named supervisor of the safety section of the state motor carriers division.

The appointment, to fill a vacancy left by the resignation of Thomas McDonnell, Rockford, was announced by Charles P. Casey, state public works and building director.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Charge of assault with intent to kill, growing out of an argument over who won the Civil War, was dismissed in felony court today.

The man cleared is Odell Emberton, 27, Chicago, formerly of Jackson, Tenn. He pleaded self defense in the shooting of Joseph Kuhn, 25, and John Nichols, 27, both of Chicago, during the argument in Emberton's apartment Aug. 14.

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## Congress Returns Asking For Deficit Spending Curbs

## Jury Indicts Doctor For First Degree Murder In 'Mercy Death'

Manchester, N.H., Jan. 3.—(AP)—A young doctor who carefully noted in hospital records his actions in the mercy killing of a mortally ill cancer patient today was indicted on a first degree murder charge.

Dr. Hermann N. Sander, 40-year-old general practitioner, was accused by an all-male grand jury of injecting air into the veins of 59-year-old Mrs. Abbie Borroto last Dec. 4.

The Hillsboro county grand jury indicted the physician after a day-long hearing. The indictment was one of 18 handed to Superior Court Judge Harold E. Wescott shortly after 4 p.m. CST.

Dr. Sander was charged with injecting "10 cubic centimeters of air four times in close succession well knowing that the said air injection would be sufficient to cause death."

The young doctor, whose case has stirred widespread debate, has been free under \$25,000 bond since last Friday. County prosecutor William H. Craig said Dr. Sander will remain at large under the same bond until arraignment Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Hardly a dozen spectators were in the courtroom when the indictment was returned. However, throughout the day, crowds had filled the corridors of the courthouse, waiting to learn the jury's decision in the now widely watched case.

Among the witnesses entering the jury chambers was Miss Josephine Connor, custodian of records in Hillsboro hospital. It was in the hospital records, the state says, that Dr. Sander entered the notation that he had made the air injection.

Another witness was Miss Elizabeth Rose, Mrs. Borroto's nurse. All grand jury affairs are secret and no information was available as to the gist of the two women's testimony.

Dr. Sander remained closeted at his home today as the jury considered his case. His wife told newsmen Dr. Sander was holding himself available in case the jury wanted to question him.

Since his release on bail, Dr. Sander has carried on his practice and has attended the delivery of two babies, the most recent being last night.

Before the jurors began their deliberation, Judge Wescott questioned them to determine if any had signed a widely circulated petition supporting Dr. Sander. None had.

The petition was signed Sunday by some 600 of the 605 residents of Candia, the doctor's home town.

Defense Attorney Robert F. Booth declined comment on the indictment and told newsmen Dr. Sander also would not comment.

However, Dr. Sander earlier told reporters repeatedly he feels he was not legally or morally wrong in Mrs. Borroto's death. He said he was confident "ultimately my position will be vindicated."

Attorney General William L. Phinney and County Prosecutor Craig, both close friends and former Dartmouth College classmates of Dr. Sander, said they intend "to prosecute the case to the letter of the law like any other."

"Doctor Sander thought he performed an act of mercy," Craig said, "but there is no justification for committing murder under any circumstances."

## Get State Of Union Report Today

Washington, Jan. 3.—(AP) The 81st Congress returned to Capitol Hill for its second session today and immediately a clamor arose for curbs on red-ink spending.

A number of Republicans and Democrats alike joined in the cry for a tighter rein on federal expenditures.

House Republican Leader Martin of Massachusetts announced the creation of a special GOP "price tag committee" to keep a public watch on President Truman's fair deal spending.

People clamoring for economy. Chairman Doughton (D-NC) of the tax-writing house ways and means committee told newsmen: "The people are clamoring for economy in government and tax relief."

In general terms, President Truman is expected to touch on both those issues in his annual "State of the Union" address before a joint Senate-House session at noon, CST, tomorrow.

Mr. Truman will deliver his message personally in the newly decorated, blue-walled House chamber with batteries of television cameras and radio microphones set up to broadcast the scene to millions of Americans.

Administration lieutenants indicated today that the president will speak with high optimism of prospects for expanding prosperity.

In this vein, House Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex) told newsmen after a preview of the president's message during a White House conference this forenoon:

"Country In Good Shape" "It looks like the country is in pretty good shape—I never saw it in better shape."

Rayburn said he and other Democratic leaders discussed taxes with Mr. Truman in a 65 minute session and suggested a "single package" tax bill, cutting levies "where they pinch" and finding revenue in other places to make up any loss.

Many officials expect Mr. Truman's message tomorrow to recommend some tax increases—possibly on corporations—as a move toward balancing the federal budget. The government's spending deficit is now headed toward a total of around \$5,500,000,000 for the current fiscal year ending next June 30.

Those who should know say Mr. Truman is also planning to tell Congress he is willing to drop most of the wartime excise taxes, levied on such things as furs, jewelry, luggage, cosmetics, travel fares and communications—provided Congress will vote new taxes to offset their losses.

But the first-day temper of Congress appeared dead set against any new levies, particularly in this congressional election year.

Member Of Robber Gang Killed, Two Captured By Cops

Chicago, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Two pals of a robber who was cut down by police bullets were linked today with at least 35 midwest holdups.

The three men were trapped by a police squad last night at the House of Pierre, a restaurant in suburban Lincolnwood, after the manager recognized one of them as having helped to rob the place more than a month ago.

Shol dead, when he made a dash for a stolen car in which six pistols were hidden, was Jerome E. Ziedman, 26, of Chicago.

Those captured identified themselves as Donald Foster, 26, of Cook Station, Minn., and Richard C. Lehman, 22, of 308 W. Smith St., St. Paul, Minn.

Police said they were part of a gang which has been sought by the FBI and police of several states since Dec. 22.

On that date, James Stearns, 22, another gang associate, was captured at Jonesboro, Ark., in a blood-stained stolen car. He said the stains came from ducks shot on a hunting trip.

Detective Charles Fitzgerald of the Chicago police robbery detail said Stearns had named Ziedman, Foster and Lehman as confederates in a robber gang which held up the Stevens hotel in Chicago Dec. 2, obtaining \$10,000.

The Norbury Sanatorium, cooperative observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau, yesterday reported temperatures for Tuesday as follows: High, 60; low, 29; and at 6 p.m., 29. Rainfall, 0.90 inches.

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## Forecasts 25% Reduction In Passenger Train Service

APPROVE BUYING 7 ACRES FOR STATE PARK

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Proposed purchase by the state of a seven acre addition to Illinois Beach state park near Waukegan was approved today by Governor Stevenson.

In a recent condemnation suit, a circuit court jury fixed \$7,500 as the amount due the owners for their land. That is the price the state will pay.

The new tract increases to three and one half miles the park's shoreline on Lake Michigan. The park embraces about 1,400 acres.

ICC May Issue Order To Offset Coal Shortage

Washington, Jan. 3.—(AP)—An emergency reduction of "at least 25 per cent" in the nation's coal burning passenger train service was authorized today by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Chairman J. Monroe Johnson of the Interstate Commerce Commission told newsmen that such an order—designed to offset the growing coal shortage—may be issued at 3 p.m., CST, tomorrow.

He said it would probably become effective next Sunday.

Coal stocks have been dwindling because of the three-day week ordered by John L. Lewis.

Although emphasizing that he spoke only for himself, Johnson said the ICC will take up the problem the first thing tomorrow morning. The commission has already discussed it, he said.

Johnson's disclosure came as an estimated 16,000 members of Lewis' United Mine Workers Union in Illinois were reported idle in a mystery strike. The miners' state president ordered them back to work next Monday after the men refused, for unannounced reasons, to dig coal today.

The walkout shut down 48 big mines and further complicated the coal supply picture. Chicago coal merchants called the situation serious.

Most Of Miners Work

In other states, most of the nation's 480,000 miners had returned to work after the New Year holiday, despite rumors that a new country-wide strike is impending.

At Capitol Hill, Senator Butler (R-Neb.) telegraphed President Truman to take "a courageous stand" in the coal shortage "against this camouflaged strike called by John L. Lewis."

Mr. Truman has said repeatedly he would not invoke emergency measures, such as a report to the 80-day injunction of the Taft-Hartley law, unless a genuine emergency arises.

But Butler told Mr. Truman that the situation now is "clearly a national emergency."

Tornado Damages 61 Homes In South Illinois, Missouri

By the Associated Press

A tornado struck once in Missouri and twice in Illinois yesterday (Tuesday), flattening at least 21 homes and damaging more than 40 others. Luckily, however, there were few injuries to the people in and around them.

A great many persons saw the black twister coming and got into cellars in time.

The twister, stirred by a south-bound cold wave, hit first in the Spanish lake area of St. Louis county, missing St. Louis by about eight miles, just after 11 a.m. It left its mark on 40 homes, including 13 demolished, but no one was seriously hurt.

Then it skipped over the Mississippi river and came down, with a lighter touch, on Hartford, Ill., flattening three houses and damaging 11 others, and again there were no serious injuries.

Net it whipped down on a rural area west of Fillmore, Ill., flattening at least five farm houses and injuring at least seven persons. Fillmore, which has a population of about 500, is 15 miles east of Hillsboro, who went to the scene, said he saw an automobile upside down in a field more than 100 yards from the road.

With the wind came a heavy rain and rapidly dropping temperatures. At Wood River, Ill., near Alton, surface water flooded the basements of 25 families and the Red Cross set up a temporary shelter for them at Brushy Grove school. It was at Brushy Grove that the Red Cross set up emergency quarters after a tornado last May.

States Paid Out Record Total In Jobless Pay In '49

Washington, Jan. 3.—(AP)—States paid out a record \$1,700,000,000 in unemployment compensation benefits to jobless workers in 1949.

This was announced by the labor department today, while the census bureau disclosed that the number of Americans with regular jobs dropped 962,000 in December, primarily because of seasonal factors.

Robert C. Goodwin, director of the labor department's bureau of employment security, said both the amount of money paid out in unemployment compensation and the number of persons receiving it set records in 1949.

The \$1,700,000,000 expended by state employment security agencies compared with the previous high of \$1,100,000,000 in 1946.

An estimated 7,500,000 workers received jobless benefits in 1949. This compared with the previous record of 5,200,000 in 1940.

Goodwin said the high rate of disbursements from state unemployment compensation funds reduced reserves to some extent. But he said these trust funds are "sufficient for financing payment of benefits even if employment should drop sharply from its current level."

The census bureau said total civilian employment in December was \$8,554,000 compared with \$9,518,000 in November and \$9,434,000 in December 1948.

STEVENS TO TAKE PART IN BROADCAST

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Gov. Stevenson will take part in a nationwide broadcast from 8:30 to 9 p.m., (CST) Wednesday on the American Broadcasting Company's program, "Cross Country Section."

Stevenson will discuss the national farm programs with Don F. Muirhead of rural route 5, Decatur, a 37 year old farmer.

Nationalists Call On Administration To Save Formosa

Washington, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The state department disclosed belatedly today that the Chinese nationalists have put the issue of saving Formosa directly up



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**NOT JOB HUNTING**

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor, arriving in this country for a visit, deny rumors that they are looking for jobs.

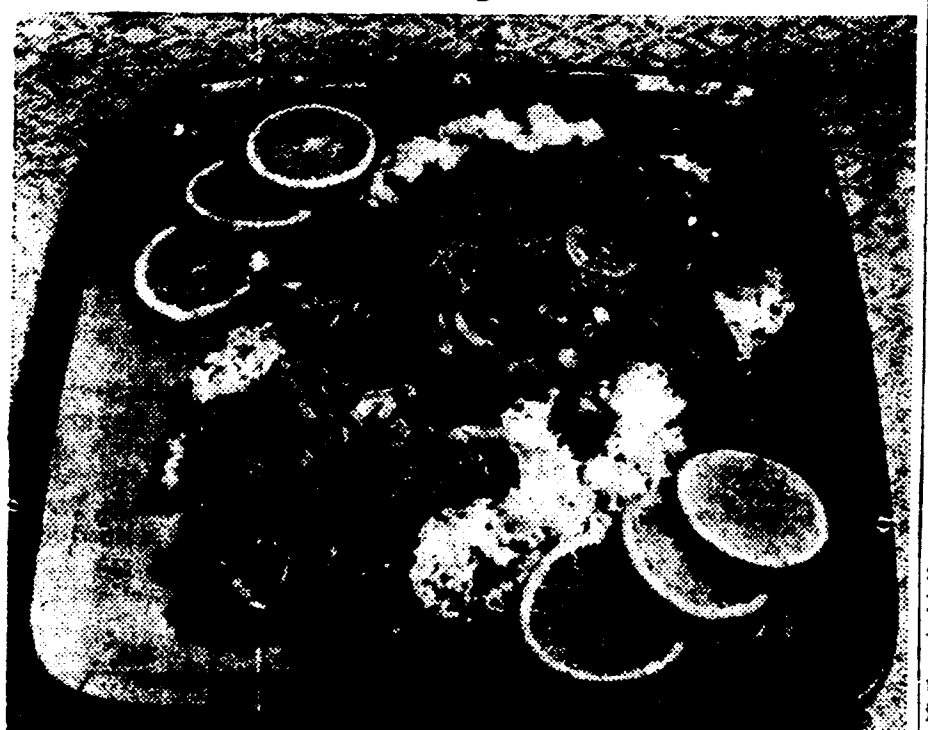
It started with the duchess, and not to show impartiality the rumor spreaders decided to add the duke to the employed list. Neither cared for the distinction.

How do such rumors start? In this case, we guess, the reporters started with a simple basic fact. It is that anybody who possessed much money before the war is gradually losing it to the income tax and inheritance tax collectors. Hundreds of Americans who have big incomes are living partly "on the fat" accumulated in earlier years. How the duke gets by, even with his official income, we don't know. Perhaps his Canadian ranch provides much of the income that keeps him traveling in fashionable circles and maintains the duchess as one of the best dressed women in the world.

No doubt they have thought that some income from private employment would come in very handy. What would they do? Wally, of course, would take a job in a dress shop. What the former king would do we can't imagine, and he probably can't either.

It would be too much to take on, anyway. Maintaining a social position like theirs is a job in itself. Many socially-minded philosophers have called it the toughest job in the world. Taking on a real job in addition would really be too much.

**Chop Suey Dinner**



Here are plentiful cubes of meat, vegetables and seasonings combined in the Chinese manner over fluffy white rice and decorated with orange slices. Satisfying chop suey requires few accompaniments.

**Variable Touches to Chop Suey**

**MENU**

- Chop Suey on Rice
- Orange Garnish
- Sliced Tomato Salad
- Poppyseed Rolls
- Butter or Margarine
- Soft Custard over Sliced Bananas
- Beverages

Chinese chop suey traces its origin to America, but just the same it follows the oriental custom of combining cubes of meat and vegetables with distinct seasonings and sauces. Perhaps keeping in mind the old philosophy that a day is never complete without one guest in the home who must be served in the finest style.

Usual chop suey ingredients include cubed pork, celery, onions, bean sprouts, brown and soy sauce, but chop suey is nearly as versatile as the well known stew, except for the one must—soy sauce.

**Variations**

Less demanded cuts of pork such as the shoulder may be used. Heart cut into strips or cubed veal breast make interesting variations. Instead of the familiar bean sprouts, shredded cabbage may be added to the meat combination just a few minutes before the end of cooking time. For other vegetable variations include green pepper rings, minute mushrooms or peeled radishes.

**Preparation**

In preparing this foreign-touched dish, the diced meat—cubes or strips—is slowly browned in hot lard for about 30 minutes. Added to the browned meat are the diced vegetable. According to the best oriental tradition, they are cut fine or shredded so that they require only a few minutes cooking and will retain their natural color and crispness. The vegetables are accompanied with half a cup of water or liquid drained from bean sprouts.

As in the proper braising method, the pan is covered and the meat and vegetables allowed to cook slowly until tender. To thicken, a cornstarch paste seasoned with brown and soy sauce is added to the hot mixture and cooked for about 10 minutes longer.

Hot fluffy white rice is the customary chop suey accompaniment, but crisp fried noodles provide a wonderful texture contrast.

**CARRIERS "who Clicked"**

**SEN. WAYNE L. MORSE OF OREGON**



**DURING HIS YOUTH WAYNE EARNED HIS SPENDING MONEY AS A NEWSPAPERBOY**

**HE IS METICULOUS AND A TERRIFIC WORKER AND HAS DONE MUCH IN BUILDING A SYSTEM OF ORDERLY, EQUITABLE PROCEDURE IN THE FIELD OF LABOR MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION.**

**HE BELIEVES THAT IF PARTIES IN A DISPUTE CAN BE PERSUADED TO SIT DOWN, THAT THEIR DIFFERENCES CAN BE IRONED OUT.**

**HE WAS DEAN OF THE UNIVERSITY OF OREGON'S LAW SCHOOL, TAUGHT ARGUMENTATION MINNESOTA AND WISCONSIN UNIVERSITIES AND WAS PACIFIC COAST ARBITRATOR FOR U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR 1938-42. HE WAS ELECTED U.S. SENATOR IN 1945.**

**A GOOD CARRIER A GOOD CITIZEN**

**THE DOCTOR SAYS:**

**If You Really Want To Reduce, Don't Eat "In-Between"**

**BY EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.**  
Written for NEA Service

Look around any restaurant and see how many fat people—especially women—are stuffing themselves with potatoes, bread and butter, pies and other rich desserts. No, they do not want to be fat, they just like food too well. Some are digging their graves with their teeth.

Obesity is practically always caused by overeating. Therefore, the best way to get back to normal weight is to eat less. Drugs are rarely necessary and some of them are dangerous.

A person who aims to lose weight should not try to do it too fast. As a general rule, it is considered that a loss of about two pounds a week is enough. This can be brought about by a moderate reduction in the food intake.

**High Protein Diet**

Now the foods which can be turned into human fat most easily are animal or vegetable fats, such as fat meat, butter or margarine, and the starches of carbohydrate foods which include grains, grain cereals, sugar and potatoes. Foods such as these can be cut out of the diet or at least taken in small quantities. They can be replaced with lean meat, fish, fowl, vegetables and fruits which are not too sweet. This is what is called a high-protein, low-starch and fat diet.

It is usually best, if a person is really serious about wanting to lose weight, to have an examination first and an opinion as to how much weight should be lost and how fast it should be done.

The fact that a person is fat is usually a sign of a pretty good appetite to start with. Consequently it is generally pretty hard to cut down on the food. Most of those who really stick with a reducing diet find that it becomes much easier after about two weeks when their stomachs seem to adjust to smaller meals.

Note: Dr. Jordan is unable to answer individual questions from readers. However, each day he will answer one of the most frequently asked questions in his column.

**The Doctor Answers**  
By Edwin F. Jordan, M. D.

**Question:** I read your article on seasickness and want to know where you can buy the drug dramamine—A Reader.

**Answer:** I believe this can be obtained at almost any drug store. It is manufactured by a well-known pharmaceutical house.

**Fred Lashbrook, Former Employee Of State, Dies**

Funeral services for Fred Lashbrook, 73, retired employee of the Illinois Department of Conservation, will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Clune Funeral Home in Beardstown.

Mr. Lashbrook, who died Sunday at Schmitt Memorial hospital, was well known in Jacksonville, Meredosia, and other sections of Morgan county, where he was a frequent visitor for a number of years.

He was born Oct. 22, 1876, in Beardstown, where he resided during his entire life. He was united in marriage with Emma Phelps.

Surviving are his two daughters, Rosalie Sparks and Lois Sweetman, both of Springfield.

**Social Events**

**Mr. and Mrs. Grady Entertain Guests**

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Grady entertained several guests at New Year's Day dinner at their home, 752 East College avenue.

Those present included Roy Alderson and Charles Rosenberg of Galesburg, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Alderson of Chapin, and at supper, Roy Rutherford, Rosa Carey and granddaughter Cheryl, and Mrs. Maggie Scoggins, all of Jacksonville.

**Births**

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mansfield, 1127 1/2 South Clay street, are parents of a son born Sunday at 5:15 p. m. at Our Saviour's hospital. The weight was eight pounds, 12 ounces.

A son weighing seven pounds, 12 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bergschneider of Alexander Monday at 7:23 a. m. at Our Saviour's hospital.

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**The Tax Date: Jan. 16**

**BY JAMES MARLOW**

Washington, Jan. 3.—(AP)—January 16 is an income tax date for several million people.

It should have been Jan. 15, but that's a Sunday. So these tax returns must be in by midnight Jan. 16 instead of midnight Jan. 15.

This is a date for you if you haven't had a full tax, or any tax, withheld from your 1949 income or wage and your total income was \$600 or more.

In 1949 the income of most people was from wages. Most of them had full 1949 income tax withheld from them in 1949.

If you're one of them, don't worry about Jan. 16. You'll have to make your final return by March 15, when most people do.

You can tell from what follows whether Jan. 16 means you.

**For Estimated Tax**

That Date—Jan. 16—is for filing changing and paying your declaration of estimated tax for 1949.

1. Some people had no tax withheld from their 1949 income. This includes people like doctors, servants, farm hands.

Early in 1949, if they knew no tax was going to be withheld from their 1949 income, they should have estimated what that tax would be by the end of 1949 and started paying it in four installments.

The first installment should have been made March 15, 1949, the second, June 15, the third, Sept. 15, and the fourth, Jan. 16, 1950. So for them Jan. 16 means final payment on their estimated 1949 tax.

2. Some people had some tax, but not all the 1949 tax due, withheld from their 1949 wages. Starting last March 15, they should have been paying the difference between the tax withheld and the full tax they knew they'd owe by the year's end. The last quarterly payment from them is due Jan. 16.

3. Some people had full tax withheld from their 1949 wages but received more than \$100 in outside income from which no tax was withheld. That outside income for a wage-earner might have been rents, dividends, sales. The government wants them to pay by Jan. 16 any tax owed.

**Use Form 1040**

The people in those three groups can make their Jan. 16 return on form 1040-ES (ES means estimated) or form 1040. They'll save time and trouble by using form 1040, since that will finish up all their tax business with the government.

If they use form 1040-ES to file a return Jan. 16, it won't stand as their final return for 1949. Why?

Because form 1040-ES is simply an estimate of what you think your tax should be. Form 1040 is where you're positive and final on what your tax is. Everybody has to file 1040 anyway.

So, even though you file form 1040-ES on Jan. 16, by March 15 you'll have to file a final return on form 1040. Therefore, if you can file form 1040 on Jan. 16, your work is done.

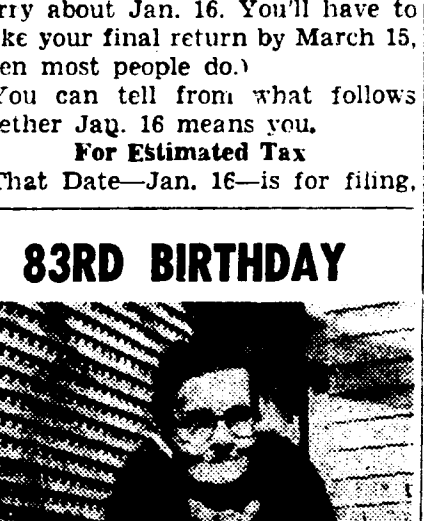
Still, some people in the three groups above may, for various reasons, find it best for them to file their Jan. 16 return on form 1040-ES and then by March 15 make their final return on form 1040.

For instance: during 1949 they got a raise but will not know precisely by Jan. 16—because the boss hadn't yet given them a receipt showing how much tax he withheld from their pay—what their total 1949 income was and exactly how much tax was withheld from them.

There's another point to keep in mind: some of those who've been making quarterly payments on their 1949 estimated tax, discover now they underestimated the tax they'd owe.

If they've underestimated by more than 20 per cent, they should make the correction and pay in full by Jan. 16. There's a penalty if you don't.

**83RD BIRTHDAY**



**SARAH D. HUDSON**

White Hall—Mrs. Sarah D. Hudson observed her eighty-third birthday anniversary Jan. 1, with a family dinner at her home, with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sullivan of Wood River as guests.

Mrs. Hudson is the former Sarah Eastham and has lived practically her entire life in White Hall, with the exception of a few years spent in Arkansas City, Kas.

Mr. Hudson passed away several years ago leaving Mrs. Hudson and their four children, Albert and Mrs. Earl Young of White Hall, Ray of Arkansas City, Kas., and Mrs. Raymond Sullivan of Wood River. There are 7 grand children and 9 great grand children.

**Not Much Wheat Straw Available**

Jerseyville—Common wheat straw is a scarce item in the Jersey county vicinity, according to local dairymen and livestock raisers who use the commodity in large quantities.

Some dairymen have been buying baled stubble clover and using it for bedding. One dairyman reported that his cattle liked the combination of red clover and wheat stubble as bedding and went so far as to eat most of their bedding.

Prices of common wheat and oats straw have risen until they are approximately the same as that of hay. Some livestock raisers are buying the hay and using it for bedding when they cannot obtain the clean, bright type of wheat straw.

The advent of the combine has made the old fashioned strawstack, which used to dot the rural landscape, a thing of the past.

**Ashland Club To See Demonstration**

Ashland—The Ashland Junior Woman's Club will meet Thursday, January 5, at 8 p. m., at the home of Kitty Wolaver. Her assistants will be Billie Cooper, Carol Lohman, and Dorothy Bast.

There will be vocal selections by Rota Jean Hall. Members of the Ashland High school will give demonstrations under the supervision of their teacher, Miss Betty Parks.

**Miss Ruby Miller, Wayne Hembrough Engaged To Wed**

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. George W. Miller of Spencer, N. C., of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Ruby Miller, to Wayne E. Hembrough of this city, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hembrough and grandson of the late Mrs. Margaret Goodall.

**MISS RUBY MILLER**



The wedding will take place in the spring.

The bride-to-be was graduated from the University of North Carolina, where she majored in psychology. She did additional study at MacMurray college and is now serving an internship in psychology at the Jacksonville State hospital.

Mr. Hembrough, who is also employed at the hospital, is a veteran of World War II, when he served three and one half years in the army air corps, part of which time was spent in the European theatre.

**It Pays To Read The Ads**



**REEL DOLL**—Angling from the Northshore Yacht Club dock, Miami, Fla., is Josephine Bonilla. The fishing queen for 1950, she is to reign during the Metropolitan Miami Fishing Tournament.

**Boyle's Column**

**Everything Nifty In 1950**

**BY HAL BOYLE**

New York—(AP)—Let's dust off our old \$4.98 crystal ball, and see what the year ahead has in store for us. Well, this poor man's philosopher, sees 1950 as a less jittery period than 1949.

The world will argue as much as ever, but it will sing with more confidence into the routines of peace.

Fear of immediate war will abate still more. Nobody will drop an atom bomb in anger, and more people will worry about losing their jobs than fret about being hit by an atom bomb.

Salesman will have to work a little harder to make their percentages. The slogan "The customer is always right" will regain still more of its old meaning.

Pension protection will be a bigger political issue than tariff protection. Since it's an election year, congress will repeal the taxes on fur coats and baby powder.

Who will carry the elections? The crystal ball fogs up there, but it is safe to bet the Republican party will end the year with more new voters in its fold than new congressmen. So will the Democrats.

Among other things the crystal ball faintly predicts these things—(but you can't put too much faith in a \$4.98 mouthpiece.)

General Douglas MacArthur will return to America.

Both Notre Dame and Oklahoma will lose a football game. (Don't write in to say I'm crazy—it's my crystal ball that's talking.)

Don't expect a subway series in baseball. The National League winner, The St. Louis Cardinals (Brooklyn Dodgers second). The American League winner: Boston (Detroit Second.) The St. Louis Browns will play the full season as usual.

In the heavyweight boxing picture nothing will happen to make anybody forget Jack Dempsey or Joe Louis.

Bulletin News: There will be 12 erroneous reports of Premier Joseph Stalin's death, and he will turn down an American offer of \$500,000 for his memoirs. (Winston Churchill will offer to ghost write them for half that.)

The stock market? Bullish most of the way.

President Truman will grow a moustache during a Key West vacation, but shave it off before the fall campaign.

That's what the crystal ball says—and you can believe it or buy your own ball.

For the rest of it, life will be pretty much the mixture as before for the average man. He'll remember 1950 as a fine year, and if he behaves himself he shouldn't feel much more than 12 months older by 1951.

A five year of deepening and shortening the Suez Canal to handle the new tankers has been started.

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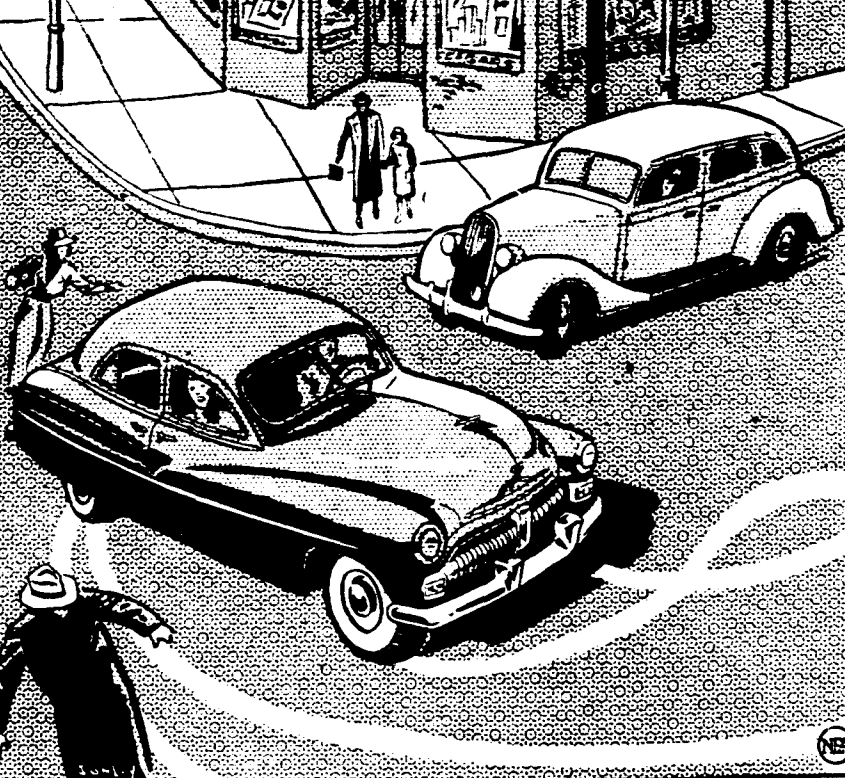
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### Harry Coultas And Wife Are Honored On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coultas, well known residents of Jacksonville community, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at a family dinner given Sunday, Jan. 1, at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Sturdy, 1517 South Main street. Their anniversary is Wednesday, Jan. 4.

Mr. Coultas has always been engaged in farming. He and Mrs. Coultas have always made their home in Morgan county.

The anniversary was observed with a turkey dinner at the Sturdy home. Their five children and families were in attendance. They include Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coultas, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coultas, Mrs. Dorothy Waterfield and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sturdy; grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Howe, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Roland Howe, Mr. and Mrs. David Glossop, Dick Sturdy, great grandchildren, Philip, Lois and Harry Lee Howe and Steve Glossop. Other guests were Mrs. Winnie Harris and Roscoe Nortrup.

### WHITE HALL

White Hall—Dr. W. H. Garrison has returned from several weeks visit with his son, George, in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Dr. Garrison spent New Year's Day with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrison, near Greenfield.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Piper were hosts at their home on New Year's Day with a family dinner. Guests included his mother, Mrs. Inez Piper, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Piper and son, Howard and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown and son, Paul.

### MANCHESTER

Manchester—Emory M. Pank made a business trip to St. Louis Wednesday.

Henry Hudson, Oscar Boston and Emory Pank attended the Democratic meeting held at Havana, at which Scott Lucas announced his candidacy for reelection as senator.

Darrell Travis is spending a few days visiting his mother, Mrs. Viola Travis, and his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Walls were given a surprise party by Mr. and Mrs. Paddy Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Clark and Mr. and Mrs. William Forrester of Roodhouse on Dec. 23. The group presented Mrs. Walls with a set of matched rings.

A national shrine has been made of the home of Roland Amundsen in Oslo, Norway.

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Mrs. Ward received many useful gifts. Refreshments were served.

Other guests present were Mrs. Bess Vasey, Ethel Ward, Mary Louise Ward, Elizabeth Hardy, Jeanie Mawson, Virginia Lewis, Mrs. Edith Jones, Mrs. Dorothy Lee Mawson, Mrs. Gladys Mawson, Mrs. Mary Roberts, Mrs. Virginia Sims, Mrs. Barbara Angelo, Mrs. Sylvia Vasey, Mrs. Sarah Scott, Mrs. Mildred Middleton, Mrs. Mary Ruth Middleton, Mrs. Edna Jackson, Miss Eloise Patterson, the guest of honor and the hostesses.

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### ASHLAND

Ashland—Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bryant left Friday evening for their home in Lincoln, Nebraska, after a several days visit at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Frank Deaton and family. On Thursday all of them visited in Edinburg at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Adams with their uncle, Ellis Shafer, who is 92 years of age.

Miss Marilyn Paull left Sunday afternoon for East Orange, New Jersey, after a several days visit at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Len Paull and family.

Miss Phyllis Kruse left Monday morning for the Cincinnati Bible Seminary at Cincinnati, Ohio, after spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kruse.

Everett Darrison and family of Lancaster, Ohio, are visiting at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Halleck Darison, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sparks and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindsey and son of Bowling Green, Mo., spent last weekend with friends here.

Miss Thelma Work of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Adkins, with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Work.

Miss Alma Goodman returned to her home the latter part of last week from a week's stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fishell of St. Louis, Mo., came last Saturday night to spend a few days at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Esther Hexter, and other relatives.

Miss Letha Crews, a victim of bronchial pneumonia, was taken to St. John's hospital, Springfield, the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Whistart of Bloomington spent the weekend at the home of the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Len Paull.

Randall Johnson of South Carolina is visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins.

J. J. Dwyer of Louisville and B. J. Dwyer of Decatur were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Leahy.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Le Clemons and daughter Marchia have left for their home in Kansas City, Mo., after spending a few days at the home of the former's father, E. R. Clemons and wife.

Mrs. Mary Anderson entertained the East Worthy Matron's club at her home last Friday night.

### ATTENTION LEGIONNAIRES

Early Bird dinner. Turkey and trimmings. Legion Home, 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 5.

It Pays To Read The Ads



## What It Means: Payroll Padding In Washington

By Clarke Beach

Washington—If Congressional committees ever try to ferret out all the facts about payroll padding in Capitol Hill they won't have an easy time. Most of the information about salaries there is readily available. But the really hot stuff is buried. Interest in the subject was aroused when former Rep. J. Parnell Thomas went to jail for pocketing money ostensibly going to employees

of his office. Rep. Burdick (R-N.D.) happened to be in his home district about the time Thomas entered the clink and was shocked to find that folks out there were wondering just how many other members of the national legislature were dishonest. He demanded that Congress make a thorough investigation to weed out any other payroll manipulators and clear Congress' name. "The overwhelming majority of

the members are honest," said Burdick. "But the crooks have done more damage than Communists could have done in 20 years." (Thomas was once chairman of the House Committee on Un-American Activities.)

At first glance it would appear simple to find out who is getting away with payroll padding. On the House side of the Capitol a photostatic copy of the entire payroll is publicly available each month. The name of each clerk, secretary, administrative assistant or other employee appears along with his salary. The record shows in which committee or congressman's office he or she works.

If you smell something fishy about some of the entries, you can go to the office in question and ask if so-and-so works there. If he isn't there other employees or the congressman might explain that he is doing some research at the Congressional Library, is ill at home, is on vacation or works in the congressman's office in his home town. All of which might be quite true.

If you find so-and-so actually

working there, you have no assurance that he and the rest of the employees there are not kicking back part of their salaries to the congressman.

The correct answers might be obtained by an investigating committee. Committee witnesses must testify under oath. But old timers on the Hill say an investigation would be a painful proceeding to many members, and they'll bet 10 to one that the matter will never reach the investigating stage.

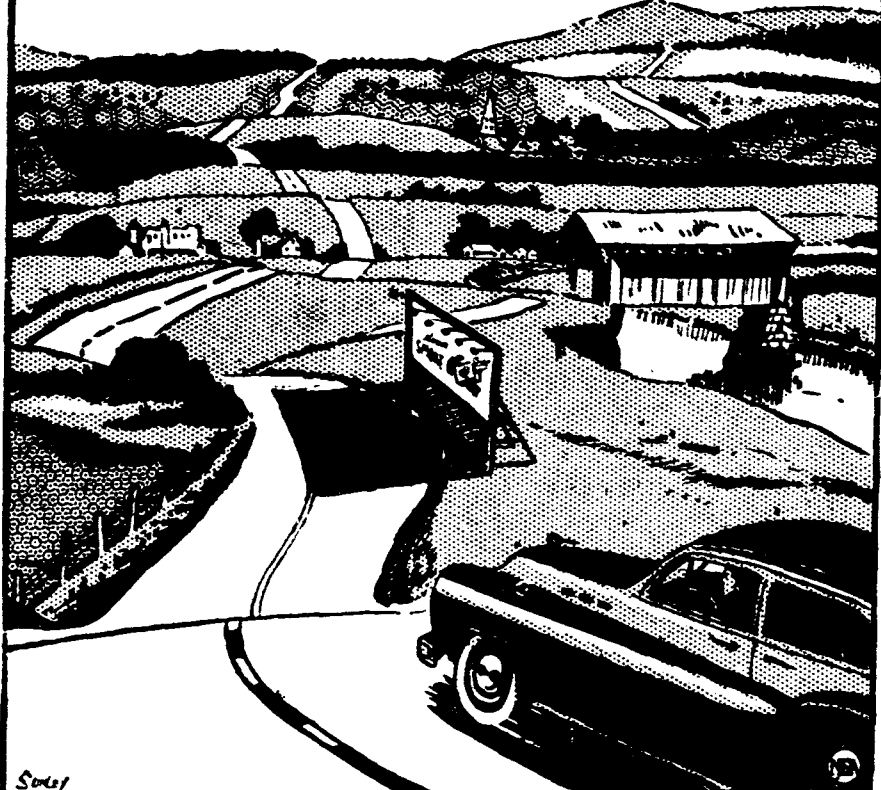
The Senate is not quite so frank about publishing its payroll as the House. It is made public only once a year, and there is an important omission. The Senate does not publish names and salaries of employees of particular senators. There is a breakdown by committees, but not by senators' offices.

No one whom this reporter questioned was able to explain why this was done. But one seasoned official of the Senate said he believed it was just a matter of personnel policy in the offices. The senators didn't want their employees to know what other employees were making. In the matter of their own expense allowances, the senators, incidentally, are somewhat more generous to themselves than the representatives are.

Members of both bodies have voted themselves substantial allowances in addition to \$2,500-a-year tax-free expense allowances.

On the House side every member is given a flat sum of \$500 each fiscal year for stationery and another \$500 for telegrams and long distance telephone calls. The senators get \$500 a year for stationery, can send

## Winter's Worst Hazard: SKIDDING



In rolling hills with woods, curves and cuts, beware of unexpected ice spots. The roadway may be entirely clear except in low and shady spots. There death lurks.

## MURRAYVILLE

Murrayville—Dinner guests Christmas evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. U. Million were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Million and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Million and daughter of Rockford; Mr. and Mrs. Walter White of Franklin; Mr. and Mrs. David Million, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tendick and family, Mrs. Emma Warcup and Hugh Millon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and daughters, Mary Lou and Vera, were supper guests Christmas Eve of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Short of near Jacksonville; dinner guests Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. John Andell of Winchester; and supper guests Christmas evening of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brodgon of White Hall.

Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Riggs included Mr. and Mrs. Russell Riggs and Marjane and Harold Barton of Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Riggs, Jr., and daughter, Janet, of Ceres Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Stansfield and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stansfield and daughter, Diana, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pate and children, Linda, Norman and Dickey.

Those from here who attended the funeral of Mrs. Eva Day, held Tuesday in Manchester, were Perry Simmons and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Henry Simmons and daughters, Della and Ida, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, Mrs. Mamie Hull and Mrs. Robert Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gollier entertained the following guests at Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gollier and children, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Crouse and daughter, Becky, and Miss Mary Lou Hankins of Jacksonville and Mrs. Maude Roland of Wichita, Kans. Evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Millon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tendick received a telephone call Tuesday from their son, John, who had just arrived in San Francisco from Hong Kong, China. Their other son, Lloyd, telephoned from Melrose, Mass.

Eugene Bracewell, John Pahlmann and Russell Riggs of Greenfield spent Tuesday in St. Louis on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wankel and children and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wankel and children spent Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wankel of near Beardstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakeman and daughter, Sharon, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blakeman and daughter, Lora, of Bloomington.

Morris Bracewell spent Christmas in Chapin with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bracewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sutton were in Peoria Sunday for a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Sutton's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jurgens and Mrs. Fred Wahlfeld and daughter were callers in Springfield Friday.

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## Big Tanker Race Started

New York—(AP)—Leading maritime nations are racing to turn out the biggest tanker, according to the American Merchant Marine Institute. Prior to the war, the French had the largest, the Sheerazade. At 18,000 deadweight tons, she was considered mammoth, but today this size is only average. However, building in a French yard are a pair of new giants of 31,285 tons which will again place France at the lead in the race. Liberia presently boasts the largest tankers afloat—30,000 tons. But by mid-1950 the United States will take the lead temporarily with a trio of 30,350-ton giants to join several 28,000-tonners in active service. Panama and Honduras have 28,000-ton tankers. Vessels of 40,000 tons are now in the drafting stage.

## NEW BERLIN

New Berlin—Mrs. Maude McMillan returned to her home here Wednesday after a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Katherine Pittman and Jody Burgin of Springfield and Ann Burgin of Jacksonville visited Ruby Burgin here Sunday evening.

St. John's Lutheran Walthers League met Friday evening, Dec. 30, at the home of Donald Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roesh spent several days this week with Mrs. Nita Brown at Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Paulen and family have moved to their country home near Curran. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Zachary and family moved into the Paulen home.

Miss Ruby Marr, student at Northwestern University, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bachmann, Jr., and family of Springfield stayed for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Horn.

A number of New Berlin residents attended the U. of I.-Columbia basketball game at Champaign Tuesday evening. Bob Sullivan of this city played on the Columbia team.

## CHANDLERVILLE

Chandlerville—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pfeitzing of Havana spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Huffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davidmeister and daughter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Green at Havana Sunday evening.

Mrs. E. F. Harbison, Mrs. Charles Zeller and Mrs. "Chet" Haynes were Springfield visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bruno of Virginia visited Mrs. Cora Boone Sunday evening.

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## DeMolay Will Honor Two Men

Jerseyville—Two Jerseyville business men will receive the Legion of Honor Degree, high DeMolay honor.

at ceremonies to take place Jan. 12 in the local Masonic hall. They are T. W. Kirby, Jr., Jerseyville druggist, and John DeCourcy, a foreman at the International Shoe Company in this city.

The Egyptian Preceptory of the Seventh District will confer the Ritualistic work and the public is invited to attend the rites.

To be eligible for the Legion of Honor Degree, a man must maintain membership in the DeMolay Lodge over a long period of years, and must have taken an active interest in the work of the group. Both Kirby and DeCourcy have been associated with the Jerseyville DeMolays since its organization.

## CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS TO MEET THURSDAY

The Catholic Daughters of America will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, January 5, at 8 p.m. in the Knights of Columbus Hall. The program will consist of a movie and a talk about Dental Health. This program will be of particular interest to all members having children.

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## Bette Grossman, Edward Greenburg Wed In St. Louis

White Hall—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lyman, and children, Shirley Ann, 25, and Boris, 23, of St. Louis, Mo., were the bride and groom at the wedding of Bette Grossman, 23, of Memphis, Tenn., and Edward Greenburg, 25, of Memphis, Tenn., at the Hotel Chase in St. Louis, Mo., on Sunday evening, Jan. 1. The bride was accompanied by her father, Mr. Otto Lyman, and her mother, Mrs. Ben Greenburg, 25, of Memphis, Tenn. The groom was accompanied by his father, Mr. Edward Greenburg, 25, of Memphis, Tenn. The ceremony was officiated by Rabbi Nazur of St. Louis, who married the bride and groom. The reception was held at the Hotel Chase, where approximately 90 per cent of America's sulphur is supplied by Texas.

Greenburg of Dyersburg, Tenn., and following. The bride cut an eight-foot wedding cake, under which were individual cakes for the guests with the names "Bette and Eddie" on each.

Six bridesmaids and their attendants preceded the bride to the altar. Boris Lyman of White Hall was an usher.

The couple left for a wedding trip to Mexico.

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## Ashland Students To Be Given Free Dental X-Rays

Ashland—Through the cooperation of both the local dentists and the Division of Public Health, Dentistry, students of the Ashland schools will be given free dental X-rays.

Portable X-Ray equipment will be set up in the schools on Wednesday, Jan. 4, to make diagnosis of needed care. All students from the first to the 12th grade may take advantage of this service with permission from their parents.

During the latter part of February or the first of March, sodium fluoride treatments will be given children of the second, fifth and eighth grades. The purpose of these X-Rays is to correct and prevent tooth decay.

## Find Jacksonville Car In Missouri

The Jacksonville police department Tuesday reported the recovery of a 1941 Chevrolet coupe which was stolen several days ago from the used sales lot of the Jacksonville Motors Co., on North West street.

The car was found abandoned 20 miles west of Kirkwood, Mo., according to a message received from the Missouri state police. They said it was in running condition.

A representative of the motor company left Tuesday morning for Kirkwood to return the coupe to this city.

**HISTORY CLASS TO MEET**  
 History class will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Harrison Kling, 1136 West State street. Mrs. Robert Hemphill will act as leader.

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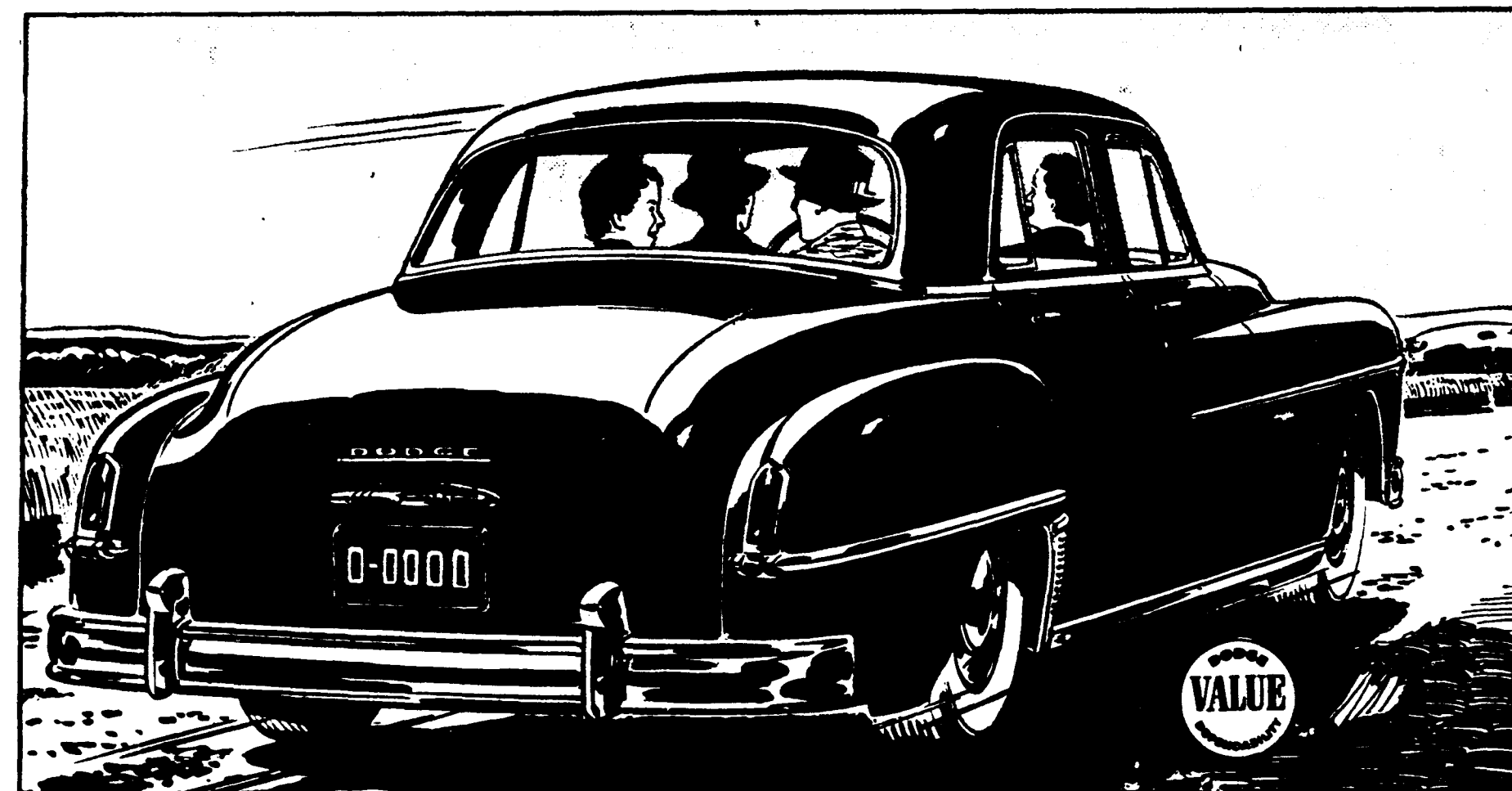
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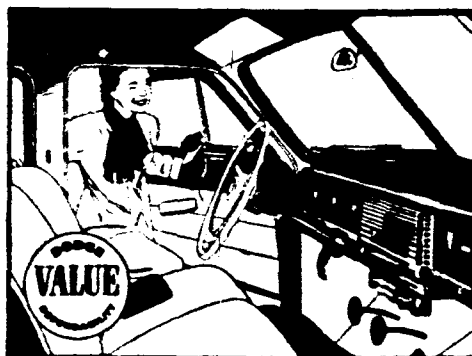
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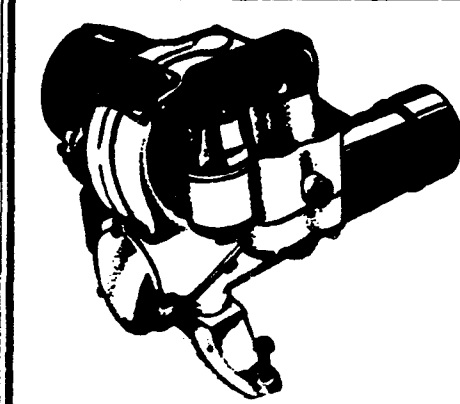


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## Helen M. Smith, John C. Crotty Exchange Vows

Marriage vows were exchanged by Miss Helen M. Smith and John D. Crotty, both of this city, in a double-ring ceremony which took place Dec. 17 in the parsonage of Central

Christian church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Leslie Heuston in the presence of a small gathering of friends and relatives. Attending the couple were Mrs. William Buescher and P. J. Stone of this city.

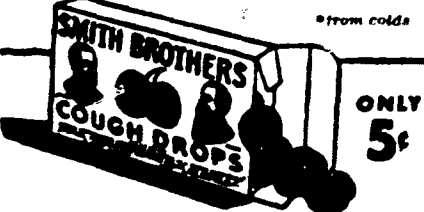
The bride was attired in a white wool jersey street-length dress, with which she wore accessories of navy blue. Her attendant chose a blue-gray satin dress with black accessories. Both had corsages of pink carnations.

Mrs. Crotty was graduated from Jacksonville High school with the class of 1945. She is now employed at the Illinois Telephone company. Her husband is employed at Purity Cleaners.

The couple is residing at 215 South East street.

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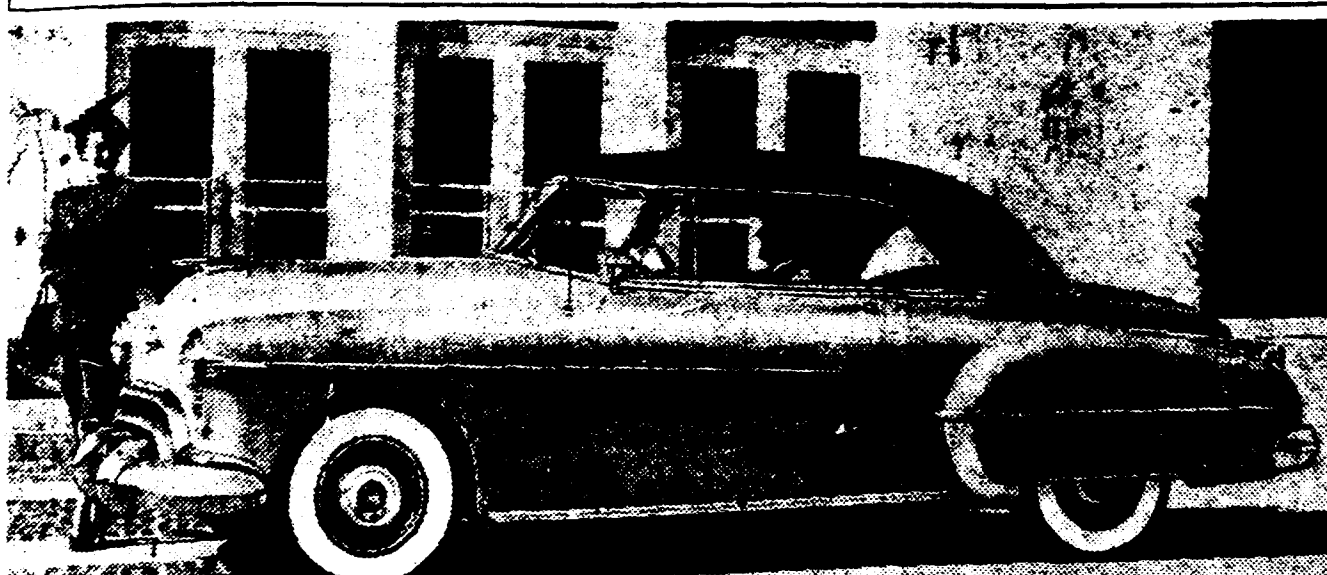
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The steel top offers the styling of a low, smart convertible, and at the same time provides full closed-car protection. Oldsmobile's sensational 135-horsepower "Rocket" Engine powers the new "88" Holiday Coupe. The new, exclusive Whirlaway Hydra-Matic Drive is optional equipment at extra cost on all Series of "98" and "88" Oldsmobiles.

## Mrs. Cooper Of Lynnville Dies Tuesday Morning

Mrs. Augusta Cooper of Lynnville died Tuesday at 12:45 a. m. at a local hospital. She had been a resident of Lynnville since 1913. She came to Morgan county with her husband in 1900 from Granger county, Tenn.

Mrs. Cooper was a native of Granger county, born on Aug. 16, 1873. Her parents were Eliza and Mary Jones Fralicks. On Feb. 1, 1891, she was united in marriage with D. M. Cooper and to this union were born nine children, all of whom survive.

The children are Mrs. Edgar Gotschall of this city, Robert Cooper and Mrs. Beatrice Humphrey of California, John of Lynnville, Edgar, who resides in the state of Washington, Mrs. Dewey Sieber of Jacksonville, Mrs. Noel Boston of Keokuk, Ia., and Harold and Clarence Cooper of St. Louis.

Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Brogdon of this city, 20 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren.

The decedent was a member of the Lynnville Christian church. The body is at the Williamson

Funeral Home, where services will be held Saturday at 2 p. m., with Rev. Charles Leitze of Winchester officiating. Burial will be in the Lynnville cemetery. The funeral was originally planned for Thursday.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home Friday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock instead of Wednesday as announced previously.

## Thieves Get 200 Gallons Of Gas

Jerseyville—Thefts from farms in the vicinity of Jerseyville continue, the items taken ranging all the way from poultry to gasoline.

Fred Walz Jr., who operates a farm near the east limits of the city, reported the theft of more than 200 gallons of gasoline from the main tank at his place during the past two weeks.

Walz stated the tank holds 550 gallons and that he had approximately 150 gallons before the thefts occurred. He estimated that less than 200 gallons remain in the tank.

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## Last Rites Held Tuesday Afternoon For George Morris

Last rites were held for George Morris at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the Gillingham Funeral Home, with Rev. W. Brook Martin officiating.

"Saved by Grace" and "The Old Rugged Cross" were sung by Mrs. Lois Hardin, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Laura Smith.

Caring for the floral tributes were Mrs. Elmer Roegge, Mrs. Elmer Crabtree, Mrs. Arthur Cully, Mrs. Martha Gilbert and Mrs. Fred Carter.

The pallbearers were Glenn Coats, Curtis Morris, Edward Morris, Harold Morris, Albert Morris and Chester Thomason.

Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery.

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## JACKSONVILLE COUPLE ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

The engagement of Miss Phyllis Hoffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffman, and Charles Love, grandson of Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Sullivan, all of this city, has been

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Miss Hoffman is a student in the city, and Mr. Love is attending school in Chicago.

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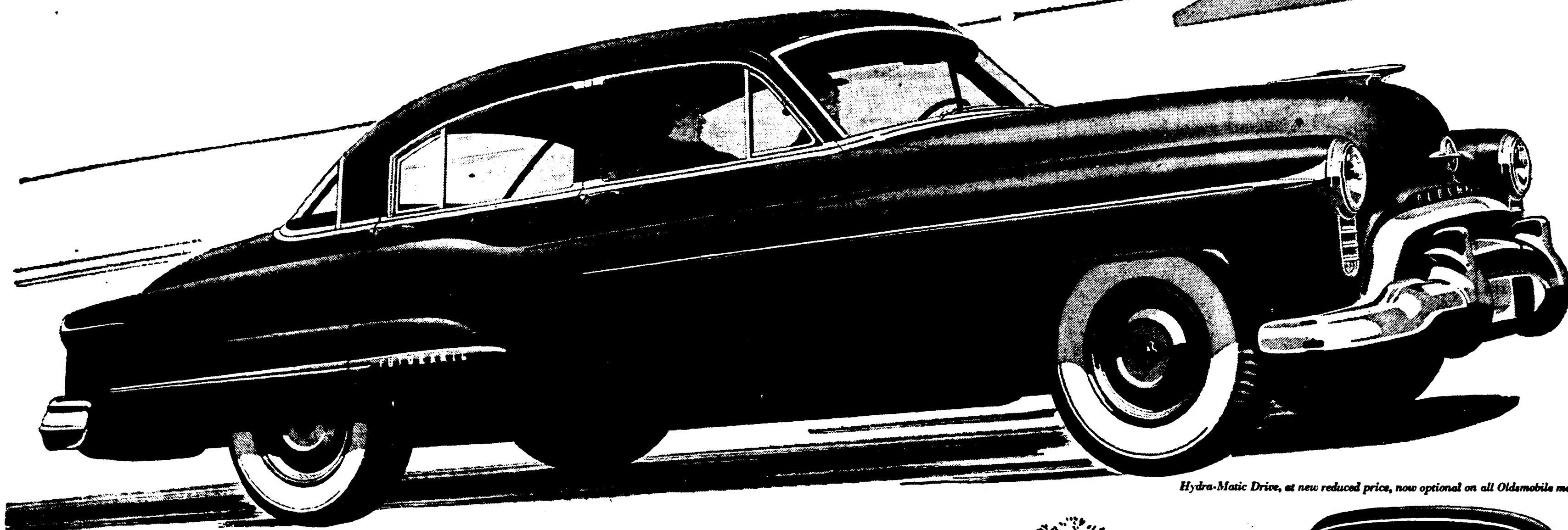
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# State Collegiate Cage Conferences Get Down To Work This Week

## Winchester Drops Early Lead, Loses To Waverly 46-44

Winchester—After holding a narrow lead for two quarters, the Winchester Wildcats fell before a Waverly rally and dropped a plaster, 46-44 hardwood fracas here last night.

Tied 8-8 at the end of the first quarter, Winchester, minus the services of center Bo Cummings, shot into a 22-16 advantage at halftime. The Wildcats led by ten points at one stage of the third quarter but Waverly pulled up 34-32 at the end of this period and rallied to go ahead by two points in the final chapter.

Pickles Mitchell threw in 19 points to lead Waverly scoring. Hoot's 13 were high for Winchester.

The Winchester seconds won the preliminary by a 58-46 margin.

The box score:

FG	FT	TP	
Waverly	3	4	10
Meiers, f	3	4	10
McCrady, f	0	1	3
Handy, f	0	1	3
Laugham, c	5	1	11
W. Staton, g	1	0	2
Mitchell, g	8	3	19

Totals . . . . . 18 10 46

Winchester . . . . . 18 10 44

Andell, f . . . . . 3 3 9

Greenwalt, f . . . . . 2 1 5

Northrup, f . . . . . 3 2 8

Hoots, c . . . . . 6 1 13

Drummond, g . . . . . 4 1 9

Hester, g . . . . . 0 0 0

Totals . . . . . 18 8 44

By quarters:

Waverly . . . . . 8 16 32 46

Winchester . . . . . 8 22 34 44

Officials—Smith, Jacksonville and Shields, Greenfield.

## Buckeyes Leave Rose Bowl; Coach Is Close Mouthed

Pasadena, Calif., Jan. 3.—(P)—The victorious Ohio State football team vacated the Rose Bowl scene today, leaving behind a disappointed but not downcast University of California Golden Bear.

Buckeye backers were still celebrating the team's 17-14 triumph for the Big Ten over the Pacific Coast conference standard bearers, but the players themselves seemed to take the victory in stride.

As one observer with the team put it, they didn't plan on losing when they came west and the win was taken as a matter of course.

Coach Wes Fesler was frankly delighted but flatly refused to comment on his future plans.

Virtually everyone in the Buckeye party believes he will shortly announce his retirement from football to go into private business. The coach did admit during his stay here that he was "weighing" offers. He said they were too attractive to ignore.

Coach Lynn Waldorf and the California team left by plane for Berkeley. The Bears were not too dispirited. They felt they played a good game but met a stronger outfit—one that cashed in on their mistakes and sank their hopes with a field goal in the last minute and 55 seconds of the contest.

In Los Angeles, the football writers chapter of Southern California voted Ohio State's smashing fullback, Fred "Curly" Morrison, the outstanding player in the game. Out of 48 votes cast, the handsome 214-pound senior from Columbus received 38 votes.

## Protection Racket In Sixth Grade Is Broken By Sheriff

Rockford, Ill., Jan. 3.—(P)—A protection racket involving three small grammar school girls was reported broken up today by Winnebago county deputy sheriffs.

The story was told by deputies Edward Heitter and Gerald Pratt who declined to name the youngsters. They said that one of the girls, a 12-year-old sixth grade pupil in the suburban Riverside school, had been paying two girl schoolmates daily amounts of from 10 to 55 cents under threats of physical violence.

The girls who had been profiting from the arrangement for nearly a year were a chubby 12-year-old in sixth grade, and a plump girl of 13 who is in seventh grade.

Pratt said he estimated the smaller girl, termed "a perfect lady" by her teacher, had paid out between \$50 and \$60 to the others for "protection."

What broke the case, Pratt said, was the insistence of the protectors on a raise in the daily fee. They asked their victim to supply them with 65 cents a day. The victim asked her father for an allowance increase. He demanded an explanation. She told all.

TEACHER DIES

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 3.—(P)—Miss Lily S. Holmes, a teacher in Peoria public schools for 40 years, collapsed and died yesterday.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Amanda Swanson and Mrs. Emma Swanson, both of St. Petersburg, Fla.

She was teaching at the Douglas school at the time of her death.

## CRIMSON ROOKIE



Ike Wright

Dizzy Dean didn't break into the big leagues with any more force and vigor than did freshman Ike Wright, who took the starting Jacksonville high school basketball lineup in his first season with the Crimson.

Wright, the shortest man on the squad besides being a freshman, boasts a natural ability that rates him highly with J.H.S. tutor John Chapman. The agile speedster directs Crimson floor play from his guard position and amasses a goodly share of points, cashing in on unusual dribbling ability and a wide repertoire of under-the-basket shots.

Ike played grade school basketball for Merle Wade at David Prince before moving into faster company.

## Mt. Vernon Wins Unanimous Vote As No. 1 Prep Team

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3.—(P)—Without any argument, Mt. Vernon's polished club was acclaimed today as the No. 1 downstate high school basketball team in the Associated Press second weekly poll of sports writers.

The unbeaten Rams, paced by their star center Max Hooper, have averaged 62 points a game in capturing all 11 starts. Four of their victories were scored last week in their own 16-team invitational tournament.

All 15 sports writers participating in the poll gave Mt. Vernon a solid No. 1 rating as the best downstate prospect for the Illinois prep cake title in March.

Performances in holiday tournaments figured prominently in the balloting for the top 15 rankings. West Aurora, which swept through the DeKalb meet, was accorded the No. 2 spot in the poll with 186 of a possible 225 ballot points. Flora, the champion of the Paris meet where unbeaten Danville and Bradley tumbled the first time this season, advanced to third place.

The No. 4 berth went to Kankakee, which carried out one of the toughest assignments of them all in going through the eight team tournament at East St. Louis. Both Robinson and Wood River suffered their first setbacks this season in that meet.

Because of their poor showings, Robinson and Wood River failed to stay in the top 15 list. Teutopolis, which lost its first round game at Paris, also faded out of the ratings. In place of these three schools came Freeport, winner of the Pontiac tournament; Bradley, which dealt Danville its first reverse, and unbeaten Athens, champion of the Macomb meet.

The top 15 teams:

No.	Team	W.	L.
1.	Mt. Vernon	11	0
2.	West Aurora	8	1
3.	Flora	11	1
4.	Kankakee	9	2
5.	Decatur	9	1
6.	Centerville	11	2
7.	Hillsboro	7	1
8.	Danville	8	1
9.	Freeport	8	2
10.	Paris	10	2
11.	Ottawa	8	0
12.	Bradley	11	1
13.	Moline	7	1
14.	Pekin	9	1
15.	Athens	12	0

Other teams receiving votes included: Rock Island, Robinson, Wood River, Teutopolis, Peoria Spalding, Pinckneyville, Peoria Manual, Marmion of Aurora, Argo, Collinsville, Murphysboro, New Trier, Elgin, Quincy, LaSalle-Peru, Crystal Lake and Evanston.

## Cicero Votes Down Proposal To Make Their Town A City

Chicago, Jan. 3.—(P)—Residents of nearby Cicero voted today against adopting the city form of government for their town of 65,000 population.

Voting was light. Of 44,230 registered voters, only 20,442 cast ballots. Cicero, under a unique charter granted by the legislature in 1869, has been an incorporated town. A president, clerk, collector, treasurer, assessor and four trustees conduct municipal business.

John C. Stoffel, insurance executive, spearheaded the move for incorporation as a city. Stoffel was elected president of the town board in 1948 but resigned five months later when board members replaced the police chief he had appointed.

Voting on the issue of incorporation brought 12,076 votes against and 8,169 for.

The first professional football game ever played was on Aug. 31, 1895, between Latrobe, Pa., (12) and Jeanette, Pa., (0).

## FAN BREEZES

BY BOB MERRIS

Jacksonville high school's holiday tournament basketball champs celebrated their Christmas victories as guests of the Athletic Boosters club and saw Bradley's Braves come from behind to scalp Ohio State 65-46 at Peoria Monday night. The varsity squad—12 boys in all—plus Coaches John Chapman and Bob Kraushaar made the trip. Ford Jackson and Dr. J. L. Bunch represented the Boosters on the junket.

Original plans called for a joint trip with both Jacksonville and Routt cagers being guests of the newly organized club. Tickets were obtained for the Bradley-Detroit scrap Jan. 16 but, alas, Coach Chapman of JHS learned that his boys are scheduled to play Milton in the first round of the Winchester tournament that night. Thus, the Crimsonos were honored at the earlier date while the Rockets, runners-up in the holiday tournament, will see the Jan. 16 battle, also guests of the Boosters.

The Athletic Boosters next meeting is set for Monday, Jan. 9, in the Elk clubrooms. Officials claim there's still room for members interested in the healthy growth of local sports.

Bradley's done it again. The Peorians have snatched another prize hoop prospect for larger, richer University of Illinois. John Kerr, 6-8, red-haired center from Tilden Tech of Chicago will be the newest addition to the

tribe. Kerr, a standout in the state tournament last year, graduates this month and will join Hillsboro's Buzz Ott, now on the freshman squad at Bradley.

Al Miller learned the advantage of having a basketball team from one locale when the Blueboys traveled to Kirksville, Mo., Monday night to tangle with a recognized toughie in small college circles. The Hilltoppers had little trouble nicking the Kirksville quintet 66-54. The reason. The Blueboys worked out together during the holidays since most of them live in and around Danville.

Miller confided he was more pleased with the boys Kirksville performance than any other game this season. Bill Shouse has taken the cast off his left hand improving his game considerably. Rebounding was great said Miller. The Blueboys controlled both bank-boards over a taller Missouri quintet. Fifty-eight fouls were called during the game, hampering the rebound work of rugged Bill Gross considerably.

Saturday night will tell the tale. The Hilltoppers face a mean CCI conference test in Lake Forest on the ISD boards. It'll be the first Little Nine bout for the Hillmen but with opponents like Murray State and Washington U. of St. Louis under their belts, Lake Forest shouldn't scare the boys out of playing lots of heads up basketball.

## Basketball Scores

Stockland, 45; Sheldon, 42. Gibson City, 55; Hopeston, 49. Rossview, 44; Lynn, 43. Rankin, 50; Wellington, 28. Ottawa, 41; Hall of Spring Valley, 38.

Clinton, 65; University High, 54. Trinity, 53; Normal Community, 36. Roanoke, 49; Eureka, 43. Lexington, 55; Chenoa, 45. Forrest, 32; Fairbury, 24. Lincoln, 75; Atlanta, 26. Fisher, 45; Mansfield, 37. Hartsburg, 45; Beason, 33. Kenney, 41; Waynesville, 31. Mackinaw, 44; Danvers, 32. East Peoria, 51; Tremont, 45. McLean, 52; Leroy, 36. Stanford, 45; Ellsworth, 23. Saybrook, 60; Heyworth, 27. Hopdale, 54; San Jose, 29. Cullom, 66; Piper City, 29. St. Paul, 50; Saunemin, 34. Roberts, 53; Chatsworth, 45. Buckley, 52; Onarga, 43. Gilman, 55; Kempton, 39. Long Point, 60; Low Point, 39. Corpus Christi of Galesburg, 43; Knoxville, 22.

Valley, 44; Elmwood, 32. Zeitschans, 47; Mt. Pulaski, 46. Indianapolis, 78; Tri-City, 76. Sheboygan, 73; Waterloo, 69.

College

Southwestern (Kans.), 48; McPherson (Kans.) College, 33. Missouri Valley, 64; College of Emporia (Kans.), 49. Siena, 57; Regis (Colo.), 38. South Carolina, 52; Furman, 41. William and Mary, 48; Wake Forest, 54. Duke, 58; Maryland, 46. Manhattan, 76; George Washington, 64. Cincinnati, 61; Western Reserve, 35.

North Carolina State, 69; San Francisco, 54. Dayton, 68; Marshall, 41. Kansas State, 70; Utah State, 45. Duquesne, 67; Arizona State, 63. CCNY, 54; St. John's University (Brooklyn), 52. Oklahoma City University, 48; Tulsa, 39. Southwest Missouri, 51; Pittsburg (Kans.), 38.

Five members of Michigan State's 1949 baseball team have signed professional contracts with major league teams.

## White Hall Dumps Hillview 84-35

White Hall—White Hall's Maroon quintet experienced little difficulty in annexing an 84-35 hardwood decision from the Hillview three year high school five here last night.

A Dawdy scored 24 and Prinity racked up 20 to lead White Hall shooters while Angle tallied 19 for Hillview.

The White Hall seconds edged Eldred—also a three year high school—55-33 in the preliminary scrap.

The box scores:

White Hall	8	1	17
McCarthy, f	8	1	17
Prinity, f	9	2	20
A. Dawdy, c	11	2	24
Ford, c	2	1	5
Powell, g	2	0	4
Ridings, g	7	0	14
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Totals	39	6	84
Hillview	FG	FT	TP
Angle, f	6	7	19
Vard, f	1	0	2
Dawdy, c	3	0	6
ord, g	2	2	6
McCormick, g	1	0	2
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Totals . . . . . 39 6 84

Hillview . . . . . 19 2 35

Angle, f . . . . . 6 7 19

Ward, f . . . . . 7 1 15

Dawdy, c . . . . . 3 0 6

 Ford, c . . . . . 2 0 2 || Ford, c | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| McCormick, g | 1 | 0 | 2 |

Totals . . . . . 13 9 35

By quarters:

White Hall . . . . . 22 47 66 84

Hillview . . . . . 12 19 29 35

Officials—Pearce and Sturgeon, Alton.

## Tokyo-Honolulu Flight Sets Record

Honolulu, Jan. 3.—(P)—A Pan-American strato-cruiser flew 3,940 miles non-stop from Tokyo to Honolulu today in 11 hours and 24 minutes for a new commercial flight record on that route.

Pan-American also said it was the longest over-ocean non-stop flight ever made by a commercial passenger plane on a regular run.

The previous Tokyo-Honolulu commercial flight record was 15 hours, 40 minutes. It included a fueling stop at midway.

Capt. Francis Scott Key Lewis, skipping the strato-cruiser "Fleetwing," said he was helped by a 30-mile tail wind. When he reached midway radio range he found he had ample gasoline reserve to make Honolulu and skipped a scheduled landing there.

The big four-engine plane averaged 344 miles an hour.

## ACE IN THE HOLE



Howie DeGroot

Ace in the hole for Al Miller's Blueboy basketball squad this season has been Howie DeGroot, lanky 6-2 sophomore from Canton, Ill.

DeGroot, ineligible most of last season, has proved his worth. Most of the Hilltoppers contests this season as a valuable reserve. His stock shot up tremendously the past three games until he's now rated with the top seven or eight.

DeGroot has home town crowd on the Blueboy squad. Bob Grove, regular guard, also hails from Canton. Quiet and unassuming, DeGroot has been breaking into the scoring column with regularity and fans can expect to see him in action when the local collegians make their conference test Saturday night, playing host to Lake Forest on the I.S.D. boards.

## Sports Magazine Lists Top Athletes Of Past Year

New York, Jan. 3.—(P)—Sport Magazine announced today the winners in its "top performers of the year" in 12 major sports and also named Tommy Henrich of the New York Yankees as the "athlete of the year."

"The top performers," who will be honored along with Henrich at a dinner here Jan. 19, were:

Jackie Robinson, Brooklyn, baseball.

Leon Hart, Notre Dame, college football.

Otto Graham, Cleveland, professional football.

Alex Groza, Kentucky, college basketball.

Ray Robinson, world welterweight champion, boxing.

George Mikan, Minneapolis, professional basketball.

Sammy Snead, golf.

Sid Abel, Detroit, professional hockey.

Pancho Gonzales, tennis.

Mel Patton, track.

Steve Brooks, jockey.

Joe Verdeur, La Salle College, swimming.

A panel of eleven experts made the selections after nominations for the top performers were received by subcommittees of specialists covering the 12 sports.

## Russians Walk Out Of Jap Council Again Over POWs

Tokyo, Wednesday, Jan. 4.—(P)—Russia's member of the allied council for Japan walked out again today as the United States charged thousands of missing Japanese prisoners of war still are in Soviet hands or dead.

I. Gen. K. N. Derevyanko stalked out of this morning's special session of the four-power group, refusing to complete repatriation of prisoners taken in World War II.

"I do not think it possible for me to take part in any discussion," Derevyanko said.

After they left, chairman William J. Sebald, the U. S. member, read the text of an American note from Secretary of State Dean Acheson to the Russian ambassador in Washington.

This note said the American government believes thousands of Japanese prisoners are still being held or have died in Russian camps. It asked for Moscow's agreement to an impartial investigation.

Brother Of Sonja Henie Naturalized

Chicago, Jan. 3.—(P)—Leif Wilhelm Henie, 42, brother of skater Sonja Henie, was sworn in as a naturalized American citizen today.

The ceremony took place in the court of federal Judge Walter J. LaBuy.

Henie was born in Oslo, Norway, in 1907, came to the United States in 1938 and received his first papers in 1942.

He is a costume designer for his sister's theatrical company and lives much of the time in Los Angeles.

# Hosts Clip Ashland 36-35, 'Burgers Win At Virginia Tournament

Semi-Final Tonight  
Astoria vs. Mercedosa (7:30 p. m.)  
Virginia—Cecil McVey's Virginia Redhead quintet picked a choice moment to start winning ball games this season when it upset a highly regarded Ashland outfit 36-35 in the opening round of the Virginia invitational tournament here last night.

The host five, which had gone winless all season, turned the heat on Ashland early in the tussle, holding the losers scoreless in a 7-0 first quarter. Virginia led 17-15 at halftime, fell behind 25-24 in the third quarter, but rallied in the final chapter to take the win.

Conner, Virginia forward, sank 11 out of 14 free throws to help compile his 17 point total which was high for the first game. Bergschneider led Ashland scoring with 12 points.

Chambersburg dumped a spirited Pleasant Plains ball club 48-39 in the final first-round tussle.

After the Burgers wrestled a 9-6 first-quarter lead from Pleasant Plains to lead 19-14 at the half they had little trouble taking the victory.

Pool racked up 15 points to lead the winners. Lushbaugh scored 14 for Pleasant Plains.

Only one semi-final contest is on tap for tonight, Astoria tangles with Mercedosa at 7:30 p. m.

The box scores:

Totals .....	9	18	36
Ashland .....	FG	FT	TP
Faull, f .....	0	1	1
F. Wood, f .....	5	0	10
Bergschneider, c .....	6	0	12
N. Wood, g .....	3	3	9
Devlin, g .....	1	1	3

Totals . . . . . 9 18 35

Ashland . . . . . 9 18 36

Faulk, f . . . . . 0 1 1

G. Wood, f . . . . . 5 0 10

Bergschneider, c . . . . . 6 0 12

W. Wood, g . . . . . 3 3 9

Devlin, g . . . . . 1 1 3

Totals . . . . . 15 5 35

By quarters:

Virginia . . . . . 7 17 24 36

Ashland . . . . . 0 15 25 35

Second Game

Chambersburg . . . . . FG FT TP

Pool, f . . . . . 7 1 15

Lear, f . . . . . 0 0 0

Chute, f . . . . . 1 0 2

Ham, c . . . . . 1 3 5

Gordley, g . . . . . 5 2 12

Downing, g . . . . . 4 0 8

Perry, g . . . . . 2 2 6

Totals . . . . . 20 8 48

Pleasant Plains . . . . . FG FT TP

Dolan, f . . . . . 0 4 4

Foster, f . . . . . 1 0 2

Lushbaugh, f . . . . . 7 0 14

Brockman, c . . . . . 3 5 11

Darnell, g . . . . . 2 1 5

Sommer, g . . . . . 1 1 3

Totals . . . . . 14 11 39

By quarters:

Chambersburg . . . . . 6 19 32 48

Pleasant Plains . . . . . 9 14 19 39

Officials—Hoffman and Zook, Springfield.

## White Sox Sign Four Players, Now Have 18

Chicago, Jan. 3.—(P)—The Chicago White Sox today received signed 1950 contracts from outfielder George Metkovich, Catcher Don Wheeler and a pair of rookie pitchers.

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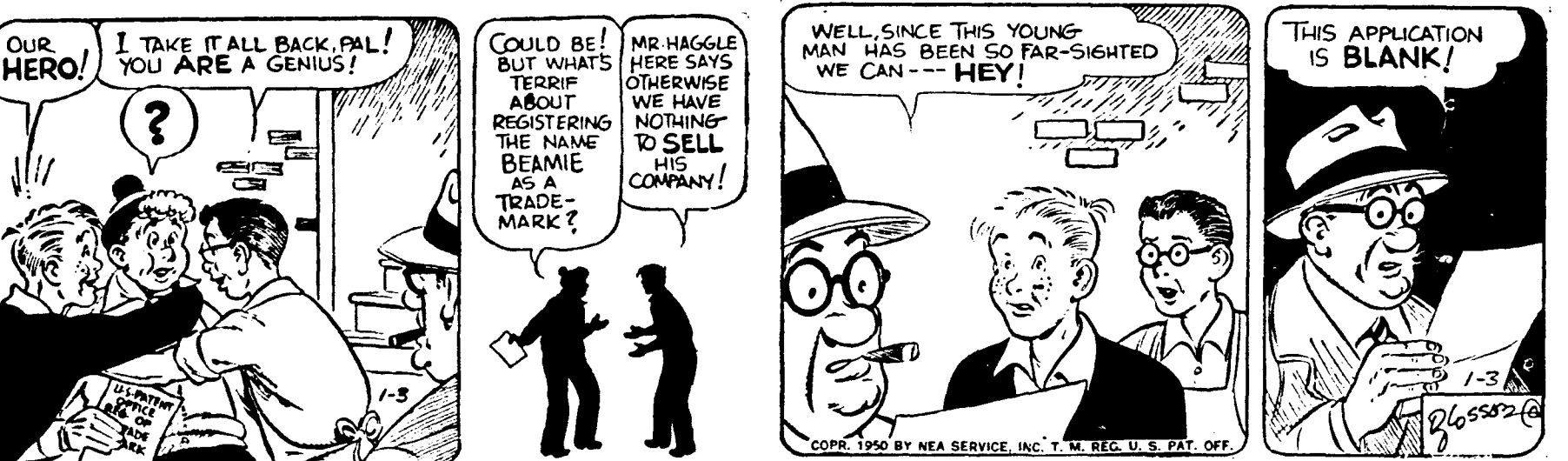
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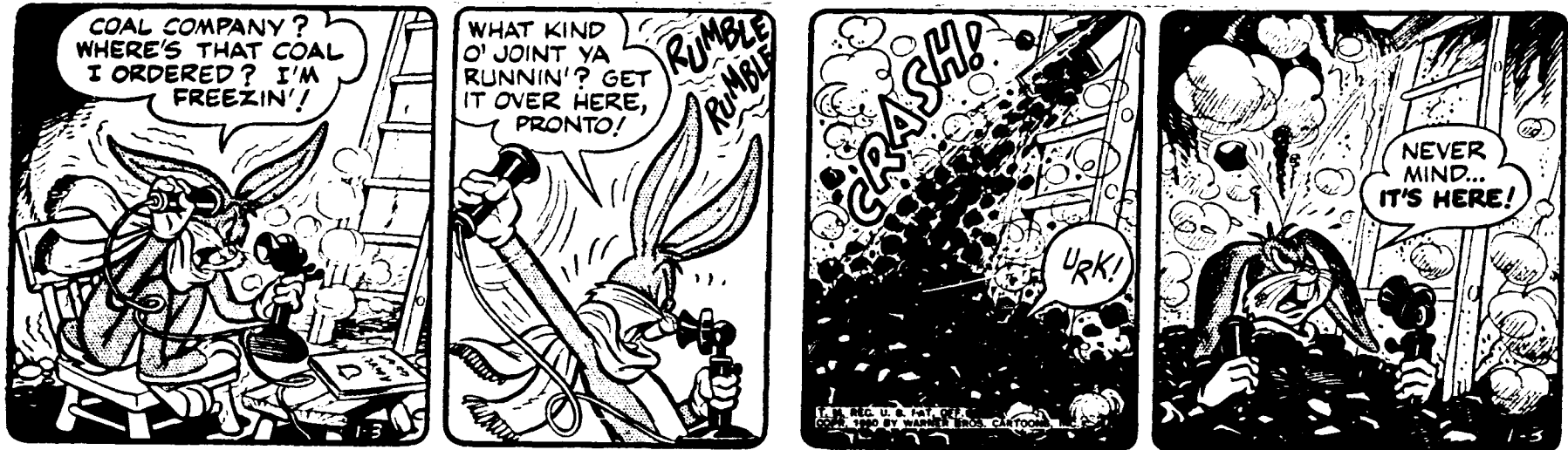
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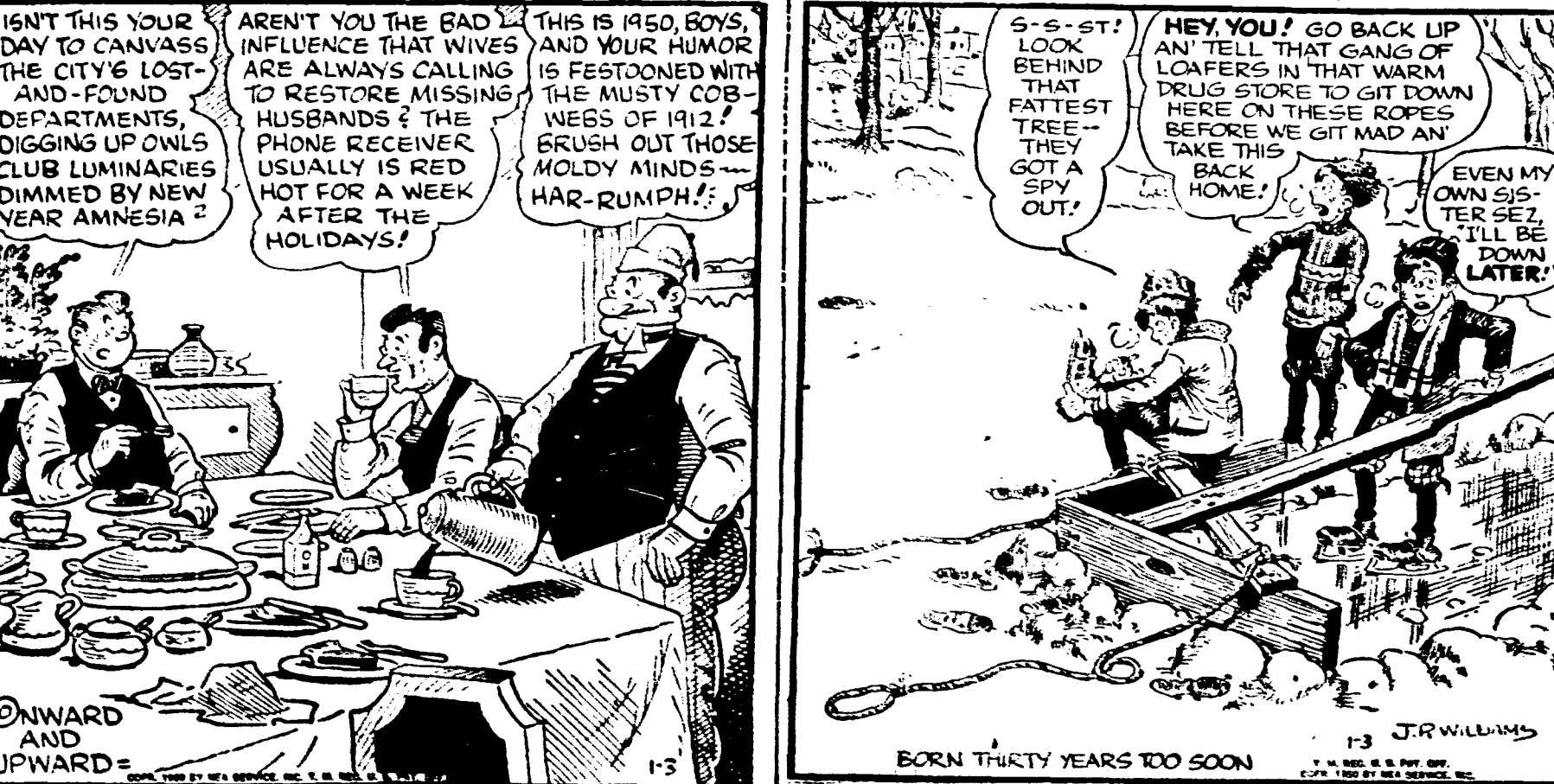


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# Funny Business

By Hershberg.



"My mind wasn't clear when I did this one so I just called it "Tax Muddle!"

## Abducted Women Fret India

New Delhi, India.—(P)—Two thousand non-Muslim abducted women are being kept by government servants in Pakistan, the government of India claims.

Transport Minister N. Gopalaswami Ayyangar told the legislative assembly that India had sent Pakistan a list of 7,590 abducted women still to be recovered from Pakistan, including "specific information" on 2,000 allegedly kept by government

employees in the other dominion. The abductions allegedly occurred in the wake of the Hindu-Muslim riots of 1947. Ayyangar said that India has recovered 12,000 Muslim women and Pakistan 8,000 non-Muslim women.

### WORKTIME SCHOOLS URGED

London.—(P)—A government committee urged British employers to give their employees a chance where possible to go to school during working hours when studying for special qualifications.

"When employees are enabled to pursue part at least of their studies in working hours the result is far better than that obtained after the day's work," the committee said.

### GUN TRUMPS BOTTLE

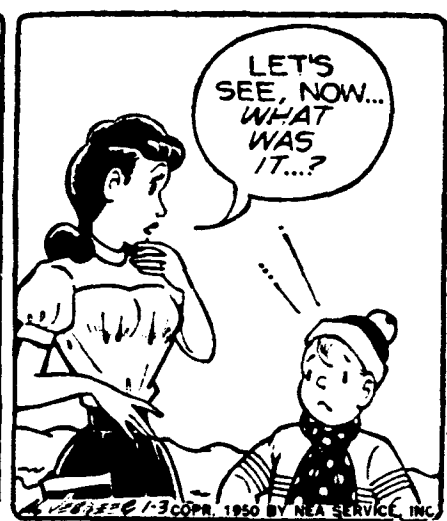
Chicago.—(P)—A man who kept his hand in a coat pocket in a menacing manner walked into a liquor store. He turned to Abraham Yanes, the manager, and ordered him to open the cash register. Yanes opened it and took out a pistol. That was the trump that turned the trick in that game of wits. All the frustrated robber had in his hand was the neck of a broken bottle.

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# CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Boy, is arithmetic ever getting tiresome! We started on the dismal system today!"

## I Love My Doctor

By Evelyn Barkins

THE STORY: John and I are newlyweds. John has just completed his internship in a hospital and has set up an office in our little apartment. I became a receptionist, nurse and housekeeper while finishing my work at law school. Housekeeping! And, I am demanding but I'm trying to do my best to keep the place spot and open.

### HOUSEKEEPING IS AWFUL

I told John one night, after having to forcibly repress a shudder at what his comfortable relaxation was doing to the couch.

"Why is it awful?" he asked, pulling me down beside him. For the first time, I made an audible analysis of the entire situation for our mutual consideration.

"The trouble is," said John, when I finished, "that all you young girls nowadays aren't trained for housework, so that you work under two handicaps: one, it's an unfamiliar territory, and two, you don't know how."

"Look John," I said, "how about helping me keep this place clean too? I help you in the office, don't I?"

He looked startled. Most men have what they like to think is an inherent virile aversion to housework. But John had the double handicap of having been brought up by a maiden aunt whose reverence for inviolate manhood was almost sacrilegious; and who, incidentally, died without ever wholeheartedly forgiving me for the time she caught John humbling himself with the dinner dishes. But at least he was willing to try.

"Of course, darling," he said. "I know you have a lot to do, but it never occurred to me to help. What should I do?"

I gravely outlined my plan: John was to make the bed and do the breakfast dishes in the morning, and I, upon my return from school, would take it up from there.

The idea itself was sound. Certainly democracy should begin at home, and in cases like ours where both the man and the woman are engaged in extracurricular activities, it seems only fitting that they each share some of the burdens of a mutual establishment.

But if the idea was sound in theory, in practical demonstration it completely overlooked the fact that a man's best defense against housework is his inept application. John was as competent in this field as Albert Einstein is in brick-laying.

BUT the final chain in my inhuman domestic bondage was not broken until one day, a few months after we moved in. Sustained by the erroneous belief that I was fulfilling one of the prime commandments of marriage, my housework, though streamlined, was still tedious. When the examination in Pleading and Practice was announced at school, I was of necessity forced to abandon everything else and concentrate only on the memorization of all the foolish, cumbersome, arbitrary rules that govern all legal conduct in court. After the completion of the test, however, I came home to a house that looked like a Hiroshima survival.

"Darling," I turned apologetically to John, expecting to share my dismay, "I'm so sorry I couldn't clean this up. It's a terrible mess."

The puzzlement in his eyes was a revelation. "Terrible?" he asked, looking about the room as if he were incapable of visualizing the overflowing ashtrays, the flattened chairs, the littered floor, and the dustiness that was like a London fog in the very air. "You mean the newspaper I dropped? I'm sorry." Carelessly, he picked it up, and went on: "Come on, sweetheart, sit on my lap and tell me all about the exam. Was it hard? Do you think you passed?"

The moral was as plain as the smell of fresh coffee and fried bacon for breakfast: man is as much aware of and interested in the sanitary integrity of his home as he is in the mating habits of the scarlet-eyed Drosophila. And in point, let me add that some of the cleanest homes I have been in were by no means the happiest.

Feeling suddenly as free as Robinson Crusoe on his island, I effected my complete emancipation. Never again would I refuse to go to the park or to any other type of entertainment because of an unscrubbed floor, never again would I hesitate between the pleasure we owed each other, and the false duty to inanimate things.

WITH irreverent disregard, I decided that keeping house should be more like any other type of human activity, instead of the unconstitutional form of enslavement it had become. The long vaunted, long lamented, unpunctuated labor that housework had always meant was a ridiculous method of martyrdom. Some place between immaculate protection and disorderly neglect, lay that happy medium, and I determined to find it.

The basic principle I followed was a system of laissez-faire ease, which allowed me the privilege of either cleaning like mad when the spirit so moved me, or else letting everything go to rack and ruin upon the infrequent occasions when the need for luxurious rest overwhelmed me. In between times I held to a routine that was fixed, but flexible, and minimal.

But my mother was horrified. "You didn't dust today," she would say accusingly, running a faint line across the dresser top.

"Nope," I would cheerfully reply. "I went on a call with John instead. And anyhow," the impulse to tease was too strong to be denied, "it's much more fun to do it when the dirt really collects, and you can get a good before and after view."

Even Freda began to look upon my activities as those of a well-balanced manic-depressive. "Your windows need doing," she volunteered one day.

"Not yet," was my happy response. "We can still see through." (To Be Continued.)

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## AUCTION SALE OF REAL ESTATE SATURDAY, JAN. 28, 1950

at 10:30 O'clock A.M.,

at the South door of the Court House in Jacksonville, Illinois, a modern seven room house located at 636 South Fayette street in Jacksonville, and more particularly described as follows:

Lot Seven (7) in Abbie E. King's Sub Division of Block Twenty-two (22) of the City Addition to the City of Jacksonville.

TERMS OF SALE: 25% cash at time of sale; balance upon approval by the Court and delivery of deed.

**GAIL B. RANSON,**

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Lot Five (5) in Block Twenty-five (25) in the City Addition to the City of Jacksonville situated in the County of Morgan and State of Illinois.

Commonly known as 443 South Main Street, Jacksonville, Illinois. This is a well located property and may be used for business purposes as well as a residence. To be sold free and clear of all liens and incumbrances, except the taxes for the year 1949. Abstract of Title will be furnished brought up to date. Purchaser will be given a reasonable time to examine the same not to exceed 15 days from date of sale.

TERMS OF SALE

20% cash in hand day of sale, balance upon approval of sale by the court and delivery and tender of a good and sufficient conservator's deed, subject to the general taxes for the year 1949.

**ELLIOTT STATE BANK, Conservator for Sam Rife BELLATTI, ARNOLD & FAY, Attorneys MIDDENDORF BROS., Auctioneers**

Anyone desiring to be shown property, contact MIDDENDORF Bros. Phone 27 or 216.

## CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at Public Auction at farm located 1 mile South of Jacksonville on U. S. Route 67, then 1 mile East on gravel road, commencing at 10:30 a. m., on

**Thurs., Jan. 5, 1950**

the following property, to-wit:

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The undersigned will sell at Public Auction at 501 West Howard Street, Pontiac, Ill., commencing at 10:00 a. m., on

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 1950**

the following property:

The West one half of the Northeast quarter of Section 15, Township 28 North and Range 6 East of the third principal meridian, consisting of 80 acres.

This farm is located 4 miles East of Pontiac, then 1/2 mile North of State Route 116. Farm will sell at 10:00 a. m.

Lot ten (10) in Block twelve (12) in Fells Addition to Pontiac, situated in the city of Pontiac in the County of Livingston, and in the State of Illinois. Located at 501 West Howard Street, in Pontiac, the building on this lot is now occupied by the Oliver Implement Company. Size of building—50' x 120', with 3 modern apartments above. Building and lot will sell at 10:30 a. m.

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# Council Considers Vapor Lights For Business District

## Weather Man Decides It's Winter; Predicts Frigid Temperatures

The weatherman evidently decided he had put out plenty of warm weather so far this winter. The thermometer tumbled rapidly Tuesday afternoon and the forecast promised snow and low temperatures today.

A little sleet fell here last night, but the roads remained in good to fair condition. In many other sections of the state, glazed highways were the rule. Route 66 from Springfield to St. Louis was called "very hazardous" late Tuesday.

## Wabash Detective, Well Known Here, Dies In Decatur

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 3—(P)—Benjamin G. Volentine, 70, head of police and detective in the Wabash railroad's Decatur division, died today. He had been employed by the railroad for 32 years.

Volentine formerly lived in St. Louis, where he was in the real estate business and served as chief of police.

He is survived by his widow, Ada, five daughters, and four grandchildren.

Chief Volentine was well known in Jacksonville, particularly by law enforcement officials of this area.

His largest case in Morgan county was in 1912, when a Wabash passenger train was wrecked on the night of Dec. 28. The engineer, John Rapp of Springfield, and the fireman, H. L. Myers of Springfield, were killed and four other Wabash employees were injured.

Charles Willis was later arrested and convicted on a charge of sawing off the hump of a padlock and throwing the Webster street switch which derailed the train.

## White Hall Dinner Held By Daughter Fetes Woman, 86

White Hall—Mrs. A. A. Thompson was honored by a family birthday dinner at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. R. McConathy, east of White Hall, on Jan. 1. On Jan. 3 she was 86 years of age.

Those attending the dinner were Attorney and Mrs. Floyd Thompson of Evanston, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Thompson of Hope, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson of Rockford and their son, Smith Thompson, who is a student at Georgetown University, Va. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allen of Roodhouse, Mrs. Thompson's sister-in-law, Mrs. Amy Weller, and Mrs. Weller's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chester McClelland, all of Carlinville.

W. O. Culbreth was given a birthday supper on Monday night at his home by his wife and son, Billy. N. O. Swartwood, who lives at the Len Moles residence, observed his 68th birthday anniversary on Dec. 27. He has one son, Ray, of San Diego, Calif., and a daughter, Mrs. Floyd Hazelwood, of Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mungall of Springfield spent New Year's Day with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Campbell, and Mr. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Valentine of Webster Groves, Mo., were also guests at the Campbell home on Sunday. Mr. Valentine is a brother of Mrs. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schutz of Hillview celebrated their 46th wedding anniversary on Jan. 1 at their home. The date of the anniversary being Jan. 2. Their daughter, Mrs. Vern Powell, was a guest at the dinner. The couple have 3 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Roger Schaffer, 3 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Schaffer of Hillview, underwent major surgery on Monday, Jan. 2.

Mrs. Harry O. Smith of Shipman underwent major surgery on Jan. 2. Mrs. Mary Shepherd was dismissed on Jan. 1 to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Rice, at Roodhouse.

Mrs. Fred Moulton and son, Robert Lane, were dismissed to their home here on Jan. 1.

The members of the First Christian church board and their wives and guests attended a potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Collins, 20 being in attendance. After the supper, a regular business meeting was held by the board members, while the evening was spent socially by the ladies present.

## NEW YEAR'S DINNER

A surprise dinner was observed New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Laughey, 324 Yates street. Present were Mr. and Mrs. James Tribble of Alton, Miss Flossie Tribble and Mrs. Edith Tribble of Jacksonville and Mrs. James Nelson and daughter, Sharon, of New Britain.

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## Services Thursday At Roodhouse For Juanita Hutton

Roodhouse—Funeral services for Juanita Hutton, 17 year old Roodhouse high school junior will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Roodhouse Baptist church. Rev. Ollie Phillips will officiate, assisted by Rev. Albert Monroe.

She died at Our Saviour's hospital Monday night from injuries sustained in an automobile accident which occurred south of Roodhouse the previous night.

The seven other Roodhouse youths injured in the three-car crash were reported as showing improvement at Our Saviour's and Passavant hospitals.

Miss Hutton was born at White Hall April 29, 1933, the daughter of Virgil and Grace Smith Hutton. She was in her junior year at the Roodhouse Community High School.

She was a member of Rainbow Order for Girls.

Besides her parents, she is survived by three brothers, Junior of Roodhouse, and Ronald and Larry, at home.

The remains were prepared for burial at the Mackey Funeral Home, and will be removed to the family residence Wednesday morning.

Winchester—Rev. Ralph E. Jasper, pastor of the Methodist church of Winchester, will hold a four-day Bible conference at the Franklin Methodist church where Rev. Justin A. Washburn is pastor. The conference will open Monday, Jan. 9, and close Thursday, Jan. 12, with sessions each evening at 7:30 p.m.

The purpose of the conference is to teach a method of Bible reading for daily individual and family devotions.

## Two Men, Denver Students, Killed; Jersey Man Held

Pittsfield, Ill., Jan. 3—(P)—Two University of Denver students from New York were killed today in an automobile-truck crash on an icy highway near here.

They were John Nunan, 20, of 1821 Davidson avenue, the Bronx, New York City, and Alexander Pickholtz, New York City.

Two other students, Robert Berk, New York City, and Samuel Wright, Negro, Washington, D.C., were injured.

Wright, riding with Nunan and Pickholtz in the front seat, suffered a broken leg, shoulder and internal injuries. Illini hospital here said his condition was fair.

Berk was said to be in good condition. The hospital did not list his injuries.

Charles Rolling, 20, of Jerseyville, Ill., driver of the truck, did not require hospitalization. Sheriff Clifford Windsor said he will hold Rolling pending an inquest.

The students apparently were on their way back to Denver after a holiday trip east.

## Merrill M. Barlow Accepts New Post In New York City

Des Moines, Jan. 3—(P)—The resignation of Merrill M. Barlow as business manager of Drake university was announced today by university president Henry G. Harmon.

Dr. Harmon said Barlow had accepted a position as business manager of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, with headquarters in New York City.

Barlow, 46, came to Drake in 1942 from William Woods college, Fulton, Mo. Earlier he had been business manager of Illinois college at Jacksonville, Ill.

## John W. Hennel Rites In Greene

Carrollton—Funeral services for John William Hennel of Eldred were held Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. at the Simpson Funeral Home, conducted by Rev. Laurel Grigg, pastor of the local Baptist church. Burial was in Richwood cemetery.

Hennel died Sunday afternoon in Passavant hospital in Jacksonville, where he had been taken last week from Boyd Memorial hospital here. He was born in 1888 in Macoupin county, the son of the late John Lee and Sarah M. McGehee Hennel. He had been an Eldred resident for the past 32 years.

Surviving is one sister, Mrs. Allen Andrews, of this city and two brothers, Norman Hennel of Eldred and Howard Hennel of Greenfield.

## COED CLUB TO DANCE AT THE Y THURSDAY

Plenty of jazz music will be played by Boots Brennan's orchestra for the young adults' dance Thursday night at the "Y" youth center, from 8 until 10:30 p.m. This type of program is known as the "Coed Club."

Students from both colleges are especially invited. A small charge will be made to cover the most of the orchestra; while checkers, chess, playing cards and other games will be on hand for any one who does not desire to dance.

Brennan will also furnish the music Saturday night for the dance to be held by the high school students and young adults.

## FIRE ALARM

Firemen were called to the residence of Mrs. Jessie Mikesell, 934 N. Main street, at 5:56 p.m. Tuesday when smoke escaping from a broken furnace pipe filled the house. There was no other damage.

## LOST

Red leather billfold in or near Elks club. Identification and keys within. Call Literberry 221 collect.

## East Side Boys Celebrate Club's Second Anniversary

By Dr. Charles E. Frank  
With a year-end party in Trinity Parish Hall, the East Side Boys' club celebrated its second anniversary and looked ahead to its third year of organized activity. Highlighting the program was the presentation of sportsmanship awards, including a trophy to Richard Conrad, and club emblems to Edward Hazelwood and Mike Scott. The club members heard a talk on character building by Coach Joe Brooks of Illinois College, saw a saber demonstration by Walter Gaylor and Dick Mills, and the boys themselves put on a skit, assisted by Dr. Samuel Weller. Sponsors of the group, the Trinity Men's club, were present for the celebration.

The club began informally in the summer of 1947 with a dozen boys who formed a softball team under Ed Barbery's guidance. That fall the Trinity Men's club decided to sponsor the group on a year-round basis, and the organization was launched with a Christmas party that year. Bob Bond has been the director of the club since its formal organization, and he has been assisted, first by Ed Klump, then by Joseph Giangreco, and at present by Claude Vasey. While the Trinity Men's club is the principal sponsor, numerous individuals and organizations of Jacksonville have shown an active interest in the group and have given both time and money to help the boys along.

At present there are more than 30 active members who range in age from 9-15; they all come from the northeast section of the city. None are members of Trinity church; they are urged to maintain their family church affiliations. The club has had the whole-hearted support of parents and school officials, whose advice has often been sought by club directors.

Junior Club Formed  
Last fall when membership had grown to more than 50, a similar group was organized at State Street church, under the leadership of Joseph Giangreco, a former Trinity counselor. To provide a nucleus for that group, 15 boys of the Trinity club were, by mutual agreement, transferred to the new organization. Now the older club looks forward to lively competition with the younger one.

The main purpose of the club is to provide wholesome, organized activity for the boys. They have a regular sports program, including softball, basketball, swimming, camping, roller skating, etc. They have had instruction in boxing, dental care and hygiene and first aid and photography. They have sponsored entrants in the Soap Box Derby. They have been guests of the St. Louis Cardinals during the past two summers, guests of the Grotto at circuses and auto races, of Illinois College at home football and basketball games, of Jacksonville high school at football games, and of the local theatres at numerous movies.

Help Club Treasury  
The boys appreciate the many generous things that have been done for them, and they have taken every opportunity to supplement club finances. They have earned money by working for the Jacksonville Boat club, and last fall they earned \$135 by gleaming corn in fields near Jacksonville. They welcome opportunities for self-help.

Civic responsibilities of youth have not been overlooked. They have been active in city clean-up campaigns, have had guided tours of both the police and fire departments. Before the Fourth of July they study city firework ordinances, and before Halloween they discuss decent limitations on seasonal pranks.

The East Side Boys' club has merited and has received wide support among civic leaders. The organization looks forward to another successful year. Present members of the club include: D. Barrows, H. Boatman, D. Brogdon, R. Brogdon, J. Brogdon, R. Buchanan, R. Conrad, J. Covey, R. Crowder, R. Dennis, R. Fernandes, L. Foster, E. Hayes, F. Hayes, D. Hazelrigg, E. Hazelwood, W. Herrin, N. Hickson, J. Hill, R. Hoots, W. Lacey, B. Long, J. Morris, G. Mullens, B. Scott, L. Scott, M. Scott, E. J. Settles, G. Settles, R. Spangenberg, J. Turner, and B. Watkins.

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## Carrollton Rites Unite James Tuey And Barbara King

Carrollton—Miss Barbara King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben King, and James Tuey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tuey, all of this city, were united in marriage Sunday at 1 p.m. in the local Baptist church. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Laurel Grigg before and altar banked with flowers of the season and lighted candles in tall candelabras.

The bride chose for her wedding a white gabardine dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of orchids. The bridesmaid, Miss Petty Short, wore a navy blue wool dress with white accessories and orchids. The groomsmen were Neil Gillingham of this city.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for the members of the bride's party, the families of the couple and a few friends. Mr. and Mrs. Tuey left on a wedding trip to Florida, and upon their return will make their home on a farm north of town, where the groom is engaged in farming with his father. When she left Mrs. Tuey was wearing a navy blue suit with black accessories and the orchids of her bridal corsage.

Mrs. Tuey is a graduate of the class of 1949 of the Carrollton high school, and Tuey is a graduate of the same school in 1943. During World War II he served with the 101st Airborne troops and was stationed for a time in the European war theater.

Legion Plans More Toys For Europe; Holds Initiation  
A concerted effort to bring the "Tide of Toys" for European children to a gratifying climax was the decision of American Legion members of local Post 279 at their meeting Tuesday night. They intend to purchase new toys to add to the number already brought to the Legion Home by outside contributors, in order that a goodly amount of presents may be ready for the youngsters overseas by Saturday, Jan. 7.

The meeting's main event was the initiation of new candidates by the ritual team. J. C. Colton, past commander; Edward Brennan, junior past commander; Glenn E. Skinner, past commander; Eugene Young, senior vice commander; Rev. Arthur F. Ewert, chaplain; and Herbert Dodsforth, sergeant at arms.

New members present for the work were Reid O. Martin, Trussler Howe, Jr., James Buckley, Paul Mapes, Walter Benner, Herbert Boreman, Al Wallace and Harold Lair, Jr.

The standards of the Legion, including Americanism, child welfare, rehabilitation and citizenship were exemplified to them by the team in uniform, using such symbols as the American flag, a bouquet of poppies and the Liberty bell. A large replica of the Legion sign was shown with its wreath, purple background, gold band and star.

Chairman Russell J. Alvarez presented a report on the Early Bird Dinner which will be served free at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at the Legion Home to all who paid their dues before Nov. 1. It will be a roast-turkey dinner with all the trimmings. About 300 are expected to attend, and admission will be by membership card dated prior to Nov. 1.

The reinstatements of John K. Rawlings and David D. Daly and the application of George W. Turnage for transfer from Decatur were accepted. Reported on sick call were Roy Lomb, who is convalescing at home and receiving visitors, and Harold McDougall, a patient at Jefferson Barracks veterans' hospital at St. Louis, whose condition is said to be improving.

The post voted to purchase the television set which has been on trial there for 30 days.

Charles Johnson Buried In Greene  
Carrollton—Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Simpson Funeral Home for Charles Johnson, who died Friday morning at the home of his sister, Miss Edith Johnson, following an illness of several years. The services were conducted by the Rev. Marshall D. Elm, pastor of the local Methodist church, and music was played by Miss Pauline Schroeder.

The pallbearers were Arthur Walter, L. Wood, Everett Shaw, George Andrews, Ira Cumutt and John Carter.

HONG KONG GETS MALAY CHARCOAL  
Penang—(P)—Price of firewood and charcoal in Penang have been boosted and Hong Kong is blamed. Hong Kong is buying big quantities of it from Malaya. Supplies from the mainland of China have stopped since the Reds occupied the coastal regions. This unusual demand has created a shortage here as well as price increase.

NAZARENE GROUP TO MEET  
"Japan Now" will be the lesson from the study book, given by Mrs. Ida Petty, at the regular meeting of the W.F.M.S. of the Church of the Nazarene at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the church. Mrs. Thias, president, will be in charge, and emphasis will be placed upon native workers in mission fields. Everyone is welcome.

## Rebate Expected From Loop Paving Could Be Applied On Expenses

A vapor light system to cover the entire business district, including the newly paved loop streets, is in prospect as the result of announcement by city officials last night that the State of Illinois will permit motor fuel tax funds to be applied on the project in the form of a rebate from the loop paving improvement.

Kenneth Stapleton of the firm of Casler & Stapleton, consulting engineers who are supervising the completion of the big paving job, told the city council that a new lighting system for the business district is possible at "a very small cost to property owners," by application of rebates expected from the paving project. He explained that the loop improvement will cost about \$25,000 less than the estimate, leaving a rebate to the city's public improvement fund and to individual property owners.

The engineer told councilmen that it is possible to purchase 78 mercury vapor lights and equipment for \$25,000, which would leave the cost of installation to be met from other sources.

Mayor Hoagland and Stapleton said the possibilities of securing a mercury vapor lighting system for the entire business section have been investigated because of questions which have been asked by numerous property owners. In some instances property owners have already arranged for the installation of new lights bordering their places of business.

The consulting engineer for the loop paving reported to the council that he secured assurance from state highway officials that the use of rebates, including motor fuel tax funds, would be permitted for the purchase of a new lighting system. "Too Good An Opportunity"

"This program must be worked out, as it is too good an opportunity to pass up," Mayor Hoagland declared. Further on in the council meeting it was voted unanimously on motion of Alderman Chumley, seconded by Alderman Brune, that the Board of Local Improvements take the necessary action to have plans prepared for a new street lighting system in the business district.

Mr. Stapleton announced that the cost of the loop project now nearing completion is expected to be \$243,421.45, or \$25,000 less than the estimate. Several intersections are yet to be completed, he said.

The engineer announced that a number of property owners have conferred with him regarding a new lighting system. He said under tentative plans, 16 lights would be located on the square, and others on all of the business and loop streets. By applying paving rebates to the cost of a lighting system, the expense of the latter would be slight, he asserted.

Installation Costs \$3,000  
Pointing out that the rebate to the public improvement fund will be \$16,000, and to property owners, \$9,000, Stapleton said the cost of the lights would be approximately \$25,000, and the installation costs \$3,000.

Attorney W. R. Bellatti, acting for City Attorney W. L. Fay, was called upon to discuss the lighting project from a legal angle. He said it would be necessary to hold a public hearing and adopt an ordinance to carry out the project.

The council's action in instructing the Board of Local Improvements to proceed with plans was an indication that the project will move rapidly toward a public hearing.

New Policeman  
The appointment of Leroy Leach of North Church street as a member of the police department was announced by Alderman Baker of the police committee. Officer Leach is a Navy veteran with service in the South Pacific. He attended college two years, and formerly was employed in the offices of J. Capps & Sons. On motion of Alderman Brune, seconded by Alderman Woods, his appointment to the force was confirmed.

City Clerk Phillips read a letter from J. C. Chandler, assistant manager of Tom Cornish, Inc., stating that the firm wishes to exercise its option on the lease of a lot during the coming year. The property is located on the east side of South Main street near the brook, and is used as an automobile sales lot.

55 Cases In December  
The clerk read a report of Police Magistrate Russell J. Alvarez showing the disposition of 55 city cases in December, which resulted in fines amounting to \$91, and costs of \$25, a total of \$116 which was paid to the city treasurer.

The report of the city clerk for the last month showed receipts of \$1,689.53, of which \$665.75 was for rentals collected from tenants of farm land in the lake area.

A drainage problem in the vicinity of East Douglas avenue and Mauvalter street was presented to the council by James H. Barry, representing Edward Goldstein, owner of the former cigar factory building. Mayor Hoagland referred the matter to the engineer.

A resolution transferring \$4,000 from the parking meter fund to the general fund passed on motion of Alderman Baker, seconded by Alderman Woods.

Alderman Kelly announced that all of the loop streets are now open for traffic after repaving, and that one-way parking has been reestablished on East and West streets. He said practically all of the 550 parking meters are now in use again, as those in the loop district have been set in the new curbs.

First reading was given to an ordinance for the rezoning of a lot near the Illinois Road Builders plant, adjacent to the Wabash railroad, where a garage will be built. The ordinance changes the lot from Class A residence to light industrial classification.

Jesse Wight was employed as dog control officer on motion of Alderman Brune and Woods, and will continue the work he formerly did under supervision of the Humane society, now disbanded.

Alderman Kelly reported that Lake Jacksonville has risen 26 inches within the last few days due to heavy rains. He announced that 1950 boat licenses have arrived and are on sale at offices of the water and light department. Four boat owners have already obtained licenses ready for the spring season. Alderman Kelly said boats without licenses will not be permitted to operate on the lake.

Warner's Speech Best At Meeting Of Toastmasters  
President Roy E. Warner was judged the best speaker of the evening for enlarging on the subject of "Gifts" at the meeting of the Toastmasters at 6:15 p.m. Tuesday in the Banquet room of the Dunlap